

# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN *of* TEWKSBURY



For the Year Ending Dec. 31,

1938

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# TOWN *of* TEWKSBURY

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## LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

1938

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### MODERATOR

MELVIN G. ROGERS

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### SELECTMEN

IRVING F. FRENCH, Chairman

HERBERT L. TRULL

EVERETT H. KING

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### BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

EVERETT H. KING, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH

BERNARD H. GREEN

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### BOARD OF HEALTH

BERNARD H. GREEN, Chairman

IRVING F. FRENCH

EVERETT H. KING

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### ASSESSORS

BUZZELL KING, Chairman

WILBUR K. FOSS

PERCY L. HAINES

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### TOWN CLERK

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.

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### TREASURER

GEORGE A. MARSHALL

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### COLLECTOR OF TAXES

HARRY C. DAWSON

TOWN AUDITOR  
ROBERT E. GAY

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE  
MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman  
AUSTIN F. FRENCH J. HARPER GALE

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SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS  
STEPHEN G. BEANE

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TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY  
EDGAR SMITH Chairman  
RUTH SMITH HAROLD J. PATTEN  
MARION FRENCH HARRY PRIESTLY  
DOROTHY FITZGERALD

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LIBRARIAN  
ABBIE M. BLAISDELL

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ROAD COMMISSIONERS  
THOMAS P. SAWYER, Chairman  
JOHN T. GALE CHESTER M. ROPER

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SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS  
DANIEL D. STERLING

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TREE WARDEN  
HARRIS M. BRIGGS

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DEPUTY TREE WARDEN  
HARRIS M. BRIGGS, JR.

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REGISTRARS OF VOTERS  
HERBERT A. FAIRBROTHER, Chairman  
LOUIS H. FARMER, JR., Clerk  
WILLIAM H. BENNETT GEORGE McCOY



CONSTABLES

CYRIL L. BARKER

LAUCHIE McPHAIL

JAMES W. BANCROFT

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INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

ASAHEL H. JEWELL

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WEIGHERS

GEORGE B. TANNER

GEORGE McFAYDEN

GEORGE K. JAMES

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SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

GEORGE G. JAMES

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MEASURER OF WOOD

GEORGE G. JAMES

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SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

DUNCAN J. CAMERON

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FIELD DRIVER AND POUND KEEPER

JESSE KEMP

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FENCE VIEWERS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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FISH AND GAME WARDEN

CHARLES D. PHILLIPS

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POLICE DEPARTMENT

CYRIL BARKER, Chief

CHESTER E. BURGESS

DANIEL D. STERLING

ROSS E. SARGENT

LAUCHIE McPHAIL

JOSEPH A. VIVIER

GEORGE M. HAZEL

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AGENT BOARD OF HEALTH

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

UNDERTAKER AND AGENT FOR BURIAL INDIGENT SOLDIERS  
H. LOUIS FARMER, H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,  
(Reg. Embalmer) (R. E.)

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FOREST FIRE WARDEN  
ALDEN S. HAINES

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DEPUTY FOREST FIRE WARDENS  
WILLIAM I. BAILEY JOHN SMITH

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INSPECTOR OF MEAT AND PROVISIONS  
ASAHEL H. JEWELL

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LOCAL AGENT FOR SUPPRESSION OF BROWN TAIL AND  
GYPSY MOTH  
HARRIS M. BRIGGS

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PARK COMMISSIONERS  
THOMAS C. McCAUSLAND  
HARRIS M. BRIGGS GEORGE MERCIER

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CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT  
ALDEN S. HAINES

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APPRAISERS  
BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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JANITOR OF TOWN HALL  
GEORGE K. JAMES

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FINANCE COMMITTEE  
(Term expires 1941)  
WINTHROP S. BEANE JOHN H. KELLEY  
SAMUEL CROWN ELMER OLSON

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(Term expires 1940)  
WALTER R. ACKLES KARL HEIDENRICH  
WILLIAM H. BENNETT FRANKLIN F. SPAULDING

(Term expires 1939)

PHILIP M. BATTLES  
LOUIS BERUBE

HARRY P. NASH  
MARK ROPER

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TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

FREDERICK M. CARTER

MARK ROPER

FRANKLIN F. SPAULDING

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DOG OFFICER

JAMES W. BANCROFT

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CARETAKER OF SOLDIERS' LOT

WINTHROP JONES

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Records of Warrants and Proceedings of the Town Meetings  
 Records of Births, Marriages, and Deaths  
 Statement of Money Paid the Town Treasurer on Account  
 of Dog Licenses, Money Paid the Division of Fisheries  
 and Game, Money Paid the Town Treasurer for Town  
 Licenses Issued, and Town Clerk Fees Paid  
 to the Town Treasurer.

Births recorded in the Town of Tewksbury  
 for the year 1938

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
1A	Jan. 6	Louis Emery Marion	Louis E. and Grace
1	Jan. 2	John Thomas Connors	James and Beatrice
*2A	Jan. 26	———— Hawthorne	Durell G. and Hope E.
3A	Feb. 2	———— Fisher	Albert G. and Frances
2	Feb. 7	Waldo Bernard Cumings	Waldo and Josephine
4A	Feb. 26	———— Lavallee	Leo and Armina
3	Mar. 6	Nora T. Pare	Charles and Marie
5A	Mar. 14	———— McGarry	Francis and Delphine
6A	Jan. 17	Winthrop Palmer Houghton	C. Winthrop and Viola
7A	Mar. 30	———— Dumoski	Joseph and Ruby
8A	Apr. 11	———— Wilson	Charles and Mary
9A	Jan. 4	Boleslaw Andrew Pieslak	Michael and Viola
10A	Apr. 27	Paul Edwin Ridley	Franklin Earl and Mary L.
11A	May 9	Sylvia Hope Roberts	Harold L. and Hope M.
12A	June 6	Robert Carney Flucker	Robert C. and Catherine
4	June 30	Donald Odina Martell	Odina and Mary Agnes
5	July 3	Cornelius Lawrence Gath	George and Mabel
13A	June 17	William David Gath	William D. and Elsie J.
14A	June 19	———— Roberts	Walter C. and Elizabeth H.
15A	June 13	Carol Ann Collins	George R. and Gladys
16A	June 27	————	
17A	June 27	Rebecca Olofsson	Richard C. and Velma
18A	June 30	———— Hoyt	Edward and Irene
19A	July 1	———— Boisvert	Arthur and Blanche
20A	July 8	———— Frejtas	John and Gulamar

No.	Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents
21A	Aug. 14	Richard Alan Carter	John P. and Margaret F.
6	May 18	Joanne Murphy	Earl S. and Anita
22A	Sept. 3	————— Morris	Peter and Gladys
7	Sept. 7	—————	
8	Aug. 20	Lorraine Victoria Swistak	Rudolph and Lillian
9	Sept. 2	Norman Eugene Martell	Henry Homer and Rose Alma
23A	July 17	Beverly Ann Moran	Harold and Lena
24A	July 21	Gerald Whittier Trull	John A. and Elsie W.
25A	Aug. 5	————— Haines	Everett and Elizabeth
26A	Aug. 7	————— Brewer	Charles and Sybil
27A	Aug. 9	Sharon Sandra Duval	Arvin Grover and Leona
28A	Oct. 8	————— Ryan	James and Margaret
29A	Aug. 19	————— Briggs	Harris M., Jr. and Bessie
30A	Oct. 13	————— McNally	Gabriel and Ruth
31A	Oct. 19	————— Treadwell	Alfred E. and Dorothy R.
32A	Oct. 20	————— Bennett	Joseph A. and Elinor M.
33A	Oct. 28	————— Labonte	Albert and Estelle
34A	Feb. 12	————— Doucette	Charles Abbott and Alphonsine
35A	Nov. 11	————— Holden	Roland and Josephine
36A	Nov. 12	Louise Snell	Howard C. and Phyllis
37A	Nov. 14	————— Jamieson	Robert and Florence
38A	Nov. 28	————— Cleghorn	George A. and Rita E.
39A	Dec. 12	————— Bancroft	James and Gladys
40A	Dec. 16	————— Bolton	Clifford and Mabel

\* The letter A beside the Number signifies the fact that the actual birth did not occur in the Town of Tewksbury.

In a case where the Surnames are missing, no record of these names has been received from the Clerk in whose Jurisdiction the birth occurred.

# Marriages Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1938

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
1	Jan. 2	Charles J. Kodlec, Jr. Edna Louise Beal	Wilmington, Mass. Wilmington, Mass.
2	Jan. 11	Harris M. Briggs, Jr. Bessie Isnor	Tewksbury, Mass. Dorchester, Mass.
3	Apr. 2	Frank L. Martin Lillian M. Holleran	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
4	Apr. 16	Gustave A. Bleyle, Jr. Phylis L. Brug	Melrose, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
5	Apr. 17	George F. Small Doris L. LeBouef	Lowell, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
6	May 1	Arthur J. Bilodeau Theresa C. McKay	Lowell, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
7	May 11	William J. Dwyer Charlotte LaPlante	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
8	May 28	Walter J. McCabe Mary A. Crowley	Tewksbury, Mass. Wilmington, Mass.
9	June 1	Edward R. Penny Ella Seaner Bishop	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
10	June 16	Thomas F. Costello Marguerete M. Sullivan	Lowell, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
11	June 25	Laurence E. Desmond Catherine Lillian Sullivan	Billerica, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
12	June 26	Nathan Edmund Scott Edith Cutter Champagne	Tewksbury, Mass. Wilmington, Mass.
13	Apr. 8	Herman E. Thompson, Jr. Gertrude Cecelia Smith	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
14	May 14	Manuel Fernandes Josephine Perry Furtado	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
15	June 4	Paul Joseph O'Connell Anna Louise Morran	Tewksbury, Mass. Lawrence, Mass.
16	July 2	Henry L. Cote Veronica Vera Fields	Tewksbury, Mass. Lowell, Mass.
17	July 6	Charles Edwin Hazel Helen Margaret Regan	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
18	July 9	Earl A. Lye Ann Bordon Ryan	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
19	July 23	Louis B. Nolan Catherine L. Doucette	Tewksbury, Mass. Wilmington, Mass.
20	July 29	Richard E. Tarrant Ruth A. Coughlin	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
21	July 31	Ralph O. Garland Mary E. Watson	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
22	July 31	William Francis O'Connor Ellen Margaret Thyne	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
23	Sept. 3	Arthur D. Seamans Irene LeBouef	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
24	Aug. 26	Edward G. Daly, Jr. Ethel L. Pamer	Tewksbury, Mass. Wilmington, Mass.
25	Aug. 29	James Lyddon Whitehouse Thelma Louise Small	New York, N. Y. Tewksbury, Mass.
26	Sept. 18	Albert P. Wade Susan L. Thorndike	Roxbury, Mass. Cambridge, Mass.
27	Sept. 18	Thomas F. Kenney, Jr. Mary Carmody	Everett, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
28	Sept. 23	Archie J. Dobson Christine C. Kammerer	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
29	Sept. 26	Clarence Russell Morse Lillian Maud Craig	Brockton, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
30	Oct. 1	Robert Seward Mansfield Ruth Elinor French	Wellesley, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
31	Oct. 15	Fred Robinson Rachael A. Romprey Ahearn	Wakefield, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
32	Oct. 12	Edward C. Latour Nina Winifred Bechard	Tewksbury, Mass. Lowell, Mass.
33	Oct. 20	Clement T. Dame E. Gertrude Raymond	Tewksbury, Mass. Nashua, N. H.
34	Nov. 11	Robert C. Mores Ruth Sheehy	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
35	Nov. 15	Thomas King McGuire Ludwena Kaulen	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
36	Nov. 18	Stanley W. McCausland Mary E. Saucier	Tewksbury, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.
37	Nov. 19	George Albert Tustin Winifred Mary Leonard	Manchester, N. H. Manchester, N. H.
38	Dec. 7	Edward Spencer Colby Dorothy Hildreth Brown	Lowell, Mass. Tewksbury, Mass.

No.	Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
39	Dec. 6	Elton Lamborghini	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Agnes Davis	Tewksbury, Mass.
40	Dec. 6	Crato Tonello	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Alice Marie Guzewich	Tewksbury, Mass.
41	Dec. 24	Harry Mrockowski	Manchester, N. H.
		Casimera Dalgewicz	Manchester, N. H.
42	Dec. 28	Harvey Gagne	Indian Orchard, Mass.
		Mary Gellnas	Tewksbury, Mass.
43	Nov. 4	Stanley Walker McCausland, Jr.	Tewksbury, Mass.
		Mary Jane McGlynn	Tewksbury, Mass.



## Deaths Recorded in the Town of Tewksbury

For the Year 1938

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
1	Jan. 25	Jennie H. Moreland .....	78	—	—
2	Jan. 28	Lucy Lee Watson .....	53	5	1
3	Jan. 18	Frank Simpson .....	63	—	—
4	Feb. 3	Nickaloas Ligitsakos .....	70	—	—
5	Jan. 20	Joseph B. Rowe .....	51	—	—
1A	Jan. 8	Edward Everett Poore .....	70	—	—
2A	Jan. 25	Janet Carley Cameron .....	54	—	—
3A	Jan. 30	Gustave Wilson .....	72	—	—
4A	Feb. 10	William F. Walsh .....	54	8	16
5A	Feb. 1	Walter Munroe .....	27	4	6
6	Mar. 12	Frank Napoleon Legare .....	65	—	—
7	Mar. 23	Julia H. Manning .....	69	4	14
6A	Mar. 4	George E. Duffy .....	78	1	19
7A	Mar. 29	William Foley .....	58	5	28
8	Apr. 28	Michael Mahoney .....	3	—	5
9	May 28	Aime Cecile Doucette .....	—	3	15
10	June 8	Helen Belinda Flemings .....	82	7	24
11	June 20	Joseph A. Brabant .....	37	9	2
12	June 20	George Washington Trull .....	89	—	7
8A	Apr. 11	Thomas J. Reilly .....	58	2	22
9A	May 12	John Linnehan .....	77	—	4
10A	May 27	George Labonte .....	78	8	—
11A	May 27	Josephine S. Battles .....	65	2	2
12A	June 24	.....			
13A	June 24	Margaret Ann Mackey .....	38	—	—
13	July 20	Louisa Carr .....	65	2	5
14	July 29	Albion L. Felker .....	70	5	29
14A	June 13	Walter W. Davis .....	70	8	9
15A	June 17	Joseph Matthew Smith .....	58	2	3
16A	July 7	Edward A. Teague .....	56	—	—
17A	Aug. 16	Edward B. Gilson .....	79	6	25
18A	Aug. 1	Mae Sarah Meister .....	48	3	30
15	Sept. 27	Isabelle J. Ramsay .....	62	4	15
19A	Aug. 1	Elizabeth J. Saucier .....	61	—	—
20A	Sept. 28	Julia Dacey .....	76	6	27
21A	Oct. 1	Jennie Chambers .....	65	11	2
16	Oct. 11	Elizabeth K. Hefler .....	80	11	26
17	Oct. 12	Bridget Sullivan Fazette .....	85	3	10
22A	Oct. 27	Joseph P. Noonan .....	50	7	6
23A	Oct. 31	Marie H. Paquette .....	58	10	3

No.	Date of Death	Name	yrs.	months	days
18	Nov. 26	Barbara Etta Staveley .....	64	—	—
24A	Nov. 16	James D. Burnett .....	65	7	12
25A	Nov. 24	Albert Beaudry .....	40	—	—
26A	Nov. 12	Roger Gilbert Meister .....	9	4	12
19	Dec. 24	Mary Bell .....	5	9	—
27A	Oct. 9	John M. Rickert .....	76	4	2

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### RECAPITULATION

Births .....	49
a. Males .....	26
b. Females .....	23
Marriages .....	43
Deaths .....	46
a. Males .....	27
b. Females .....	19

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THE TOWN CLERK HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT HE IS PREPARED TO FURNISH PARENTS, HOUSEHOLDERS, PHYSICIANS AND MIDWIVES, APPLYING THEREFOR, BLANKS FOR THE RETURN OF BIRTHS AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Dog Licenses, Six hundred seventy-two dollars and sixty cents (\$672.60).

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for License Fees, Gasoline and Oil Permits, Alcohol Licenses, etc., One thousand six hundred and seventy-one dollars and forty-four cents (\$1671.44).

Received and paid to the Town Treasurer for Town Clerk Fees, Two hundred and forty-one dollars and eighty-nine cents (\$241.89).

Received and paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game for Licenses, Two hundred forty-nine dollars and fifty cents (\$249.50).

This makes a total of Two thousand eight hundred and thirty-five dollars and forty-three cents (\$2835.43), received during the year 1938, and paid into the proper accounts.

During the year a W. P. A. Project was assigned to the Town Clerk's Office for the purpose of cross-indexing the Town Record's. When completed, this index system will place desired information readily at hand and save hours of searching.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.

Town Clerk.

**WARRANT**  
**For Annual Town Meeting**

Middlesex ss: To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury on

Wednesday, February 2nd, 1938

at twelve o'clock noon, to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of taxes, a Tree Warden and Constables (Three) all to serve one year; One Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one School Committee to serve three years; two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Funds to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve two years.

The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at 12 noon and close at 8 P. M. And to act on the following articles, commencing at 7 P. M.

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1938 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1938 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what compensation the Town will vote for the collection of taxes, and what rate and from what date interest will be charged on taxes of 1938 unpaid after Nov. 1, 1938 or any other action relative thereto.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1,697.63 to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, and for the Town's share of the expense under the provisions of Chapter 331 of the Acts of 1933, which provides for the settlement of certain claims of the the Commonwealth against the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital District, including interest or discount on temporary notes issued therefor, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen and treasurer to petition the land court for a foreclosure of tax titles held by the town for more than two years, as provided in Section 65 of Chapter 60, and to see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate therefor.

ART. 12. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of tax titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided in Section 52 of Chapter 60 of the General Laws as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Welfare to set aside a part of their appropriation to be used in conjunction with either Federal, State or County funds whenever in their opinion the pledging of such a sum of money will add to the total amount available for Welfare purposes.

ART. 14. "To see if the Town will vote to continue for another year the committee appointed under Article 14 at the Annual Town Meeting in February 1937 to represent the Town in Auto Insurance Rates, Fire Insurance Rates, Telephone Rates, etc., with the proper authority to attend hearings when necessary and appropriate a sum to cover necessary expenses."

ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 or any other sum for the improvement of Pleasant Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose or take any other action relative thereto.



ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 or any other sum for the improvement of North Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 3,000.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the town for road machinery purposes, or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Washington Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Martin Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept Cross Street from Franklin to Oak Streets as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with measurements and boundaries as shown on plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Elm Street from Main Street to State Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept Walnut Street from Main to State Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept Glenwood Road from Florence Avenue to Franklin Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with the Town Clerk, and make necessary taking of land by right of eminent domain to extend same, and appropriate sum necessary to construct extension.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will adopt the following Bylaw: The Town Clerk shall include a copy of the minutes of all meetings held during the current year in the Annual Report of the Town Officers of the Town of Tewksbury.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1939 three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will vote that the Highway Department, cut all brush on the highways of Tewksbury, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote a sum not exceeding \$10,000.00 for Pipe and Hydrants for a water main on Main Street from Chandler's Corner to the Foster School, and from Main Street to the High School on Pleasant Street, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 to purchase six inch water pipe to be laid from the end of the Lowell Water Main on Andover Street, the labor for excavating and laying same to be furnished by W.P.A., or take any action in regard to same.



ART. 32. To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for the Reserve Fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40, General Laws, Tercentenary edition.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote to limit the Tax Rate to \$28 per thousand, and without a rise in Valuation of Property.

ART. 34. To see if the Town will vote not to have a Special Town Meeting during the year 1938.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will vote to have a Purchase and Sale Agent, to be appointed by the Selectmen. And to receive a salary of not more than \$100 per year, to be taken from each department on a percentage basis.

ART. 36. To see if the Town will vote to deed to Louis McEvoy of Brown Street, a lot of land 10 feet wide, and 191.09 feet long on the westerly side of McEvoy Avenue. This being a lot of land taken by the Town in 1936, and in excess of what was needed for street purposes.

ART. 37. To see if the Town will vote to sell a plot of land of approximately 2,700 sq. ft. located in the rear of the Town Hall, to Dewey Coombs, or take any action relative thereto.

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ART. 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for the New Fire Station, to purchase office and sleeping room furniture, and install a shower bath and hot water system, also to put gutters on new addition on building and repair old ones, or take any action thereto.

ART. 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$425.00 for the Fire Department to purchase lumber to build a tower for drying hose.

ART. 45. To see if the Town will vote to install two lights on Washington Street, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 46. To see if the Town will vote, in accordance with the recommendation of the Director of Accounts, to place the office of Tax Collector, Treasurer and Town Clerk, under a straight yearly salary basis, exclusive of all other receipts.

ART. 47. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for W.P.A. works for 1938, or take any action relative to the same.

ART. 48. To see whether the Town will adopt the following by-law or some modification thereof for the purpose of regulating billboards or other outdoor advertising devices.

## REGULATION OF ADVERTISING SIGNS AND BILLBOARDS

SECTION 1. **Statutory Authority.** In pursuance of the authority granted to towns in Section 29 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws, and pursuant to all other provisions of law, and without relaxing any restrictions now imposed on outdoor advertising devices by Section 29 to 33 inclusive of said chapter or by any lawful state regulations thereunder, such devices are hereby further restricted in the Town of Tewksbury as provided in the following sections.

**SECTION 2. Exemptions.** This by-law shall not apply to signs or other devices in or over public ways, described in Sections 1, 2 or 8, of Chapter 85, General Laws, or to signs or other devices on or in the rolling stock, stations, subways or structures of or used by common carriers, except advertising devices on bridges or viaducts or abutments thereof. It also shall not apply to any advertising device legally permitted and maintained on the date of the taking effect of this by-law, until one year after the first day of July next following said date.

**SECTION 3. Definitions:**

**"Advertising devices"** shall mean billboards, painted bulletins, poster panels, signs, placards and other outdoor units designed to call public attention to the matter displayed thereon.

**"Advertising sign"** or **"sign"** shall mean any outdoor advertising device.

**"Sign-board"** shall mean any structure designed for displaying an outdoor advertisement.

**"Highway"** or **"Street"** shall mean any public way twenty feet or more in width.

**"Public park"** shall mean a piece of public land of at least five thousand square feet set apart for beauty and public enjoyment.

**"Public reservation"** shall mean a piece of public land set apart for recreational use, as a state or municipal forest, as a protection to a public water supply, as a memorial, or cemetery, or as a place of unusual scenic or historical interest.

**"Permitted"** shall mean authorized by an official permit.

**"Display"** shall mean to make or maintain visible from any highway, public park or reservation.

**"Area"** of a sign or sign-board shall mean the area of the face view of the entire device, including all attachments except supports and lattice at the base thereof.

**"Residential district"** shall mean any area zoned as residential.

**"Non-conforming business"** shall mean a business located in a residential or rural district, other than such rural business as farming or the raising and sale on the same premises of farm, garden or orchard products.

**"Lawful sign"** shall mean any outdoor advertising device not prohibited by any provision of law or by any lawful state regulation.

"Accessory sign" shall mean any outdoor advertising device which carries only advertisements strictly incidental and subordinate to a principal use of the premises on which it is located, including signs indicating business transacted or goods sold or produced on the premises or an occupant thereof, but not including any sign which is rented or controlled by any party except the owner or occupant of the premises.

"Sign on a wall" shall mean a sign closely attached throughout to and facing with that wall, or on a window or door therein.

"Lot" shall mean a plot of ground containing and devoted to the purposes of a building, or laid out to contain a building, with all required open spaces; or a tract of unbuilt, undivided land under one ownership.

**SECTION 4. PROHIBITIONS.** No person, firm, association or corporation, except the owner or a tenant occupant of the premises, shall be permitted or allowed to erect, display or maintain any billboard or other outdoor advertising device thereon except in pursuance of written authority from such owner or tenant and unless either the name and address of the party holding such authority or a lawful permit number from the state licensing authority be displayed on such device.

No billboard or other outdoor advertising device shall be erected, displayed, or maintained:

- (a) Upon any rock, tree, fence or pole;
- (b) Within one hundred feet of any church, public building, monument or memorial, or within three hundred feet of any public park, playground, or public reservation, if within view from any portion thereof; except that this provision shall not apply to accessory signs on the walls of buildings;
- (c) If it contains any obscene, indecent or immoral matter;
- (d) Unless all parts and attachments and the ground about the base thereof are kept in neat and safe condition.

**SECTION 5. General Restrictions.** No advertising sign or signboard shall be permitted or allowed to be so located as to obstruct a view between any points on connecting streets within fifty feet of a corner of the rights of way; or to extend more than twenty feet above the surface on which it stands; or to obstruct any door, window or fire escape on a building; or, if on a roof or wall of a building, to

extend above the legal limit of height for such building or wall; or, in a residential district, to extend more than six inches nearer to any boundary of the lot or premises on which it is located than it would be lawful to maintain a building, except as provided in paragraph (c) of Section 6.

**SECTION 6. Restrictions in Residential District.** No person, firm, association or corporation shall erect, display or maintain, or allow to be displayed or maintained on his or its property, in a residential district, any billboard or other outdoor advertising device, except devices specified in paragraphs (a), (b), (c) and (d) of this section.

- (a) Any lawful accessory sign or signs not exceeding five square feet in aggregate area on any one building or lot; or any lawful sign or signs advertising only the sale or rental of the premises, not exceeding a total area of ten square feet; or, on the premises of any public building, public recreation ground, farm, garden, tree-nursery or forest, any lawful accessory signs not exceeding all together fifteen square feet in area within the limits of said premises; or any lawful accessory signs on the front wall of any building occupied by a non-conforming business.
- (b) Any lawful sign displayed by the town, or any sign displayed by the United States, the state or the country relative to government business.
- (c) At any boundary line of the town a lawful sign not exceeding five square feet in area indicating the meetings of any civic organization located therein.
- (d) On property owned or principally occupied by a religious, civic or charitable organization, association of war veterans or the like, any lawful accessory sign displayed by written permission of the Selectmen, with approval of the inspector of buildings if any, for a limited period not exceeding sixty days.

**SECTION 7. Administration.** Whenever notice of an application to a state authority for a permit for an advertising device to be erected or displayed in the town is received by the Town Clerk or any other town official, he shall immediately transmit it to the Inspector of Buildings or other officer charged with the administration of this by-law. Such officer, or, in the lack of other responsible officer, the Town Clerk, shall thereupon make an examination of the case and, as promptly as possible, within thirty days of the receipt of the



application by the town, shall send written notice to the state authority to whom the application is addressed, stating whether or not the proposed advertising device would violate any provisions of this by-law, and, if he finds such violation, specifying what provisions would be violated. In case of such violation, he shall send like notice also to the applicant and to the owner or tenant of the proposed location of the device.

Any person desiring to erect a sign in the town may file a description thereof and of its proposed location with the officer charged with the enforcement of this by-law, who shall thereupon make an examination of the case and shall give written notice to the applicant whether or not the proposed advertising device would violate any provision of this by-law, and if so, what provision.

Said officer shall preserve for record all descriptions, notices of applications, letters and other papers received by him and copies of all notices issued and letters sent by him relating to out-door advertising.

**SECTION 8. Penalties and Enforcement.** The Selectmen or any officer charged with the enforcement of this by-law shall give written notice of any violation of Sections 4, 5, or 6 of this by-law to the party violating the same and to the owner or tenant of the property concerned, with orders to remove promptly any device in violation thereof, and shall cause any party who continues such violation for fifteen days after such notice to be prosecuted; shall pursue appropriate legal processes to restrain the erection or maintenance of devices in violation of this by-law and to cause their removal or abatement in accordance with Chapter 93, Sections 29, 31 and 33; and shall also notify the state regulatory authority of outdoor advertising of any known violations of lawful state regulations that come to his notice.

#### **SECTION 9.**

If any provision of this by-law is declared unconstitutional or illegal by any Court, the validity of the remaining provisions shall not be affected thereby.

#### **SECTION 10.**

No provision of this by-law shall be construed in such a manner as to be inconsistent with the rules and regulations now or hereafter in force, concerning outdoor advertising, of any state authority having jurisdiction.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said Town, 8 days at least and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands, this twelfth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

IRVING F. FRENCH  
EVERETT H. KING  
HERBERT L. TRULL

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable

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February 2, 1938.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Middlesex, ss.

I have served the within Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,  
Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest:

HARRY C. DAWSON,  
Town Clerk.

# ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, FEB. 2, 1938

Tewksbury, Mass., Feb. 2, 1938

ART. 1. At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held this day at Town Hall, Tewksbury, the following business was transacted:

Meeting called to order at 12 o'clock noon, by the Moderator, Melvin G. Rogers and under Article 1 the polls were opened with Percy L. Haines, Wallace Farewell, Duncan J. Cameron, John E. Streckwald, Thomas Sullivan, and Jerimiah Houlihan sworn in as tellers. Register showed 0000 at 8 o'clock the meeting called to order and Rev. Gordon E. Kenison offered prayer.

ART. 2. All reports of Town Officers and Committees accepted.

ART. 3. Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums:

Street Lighting .....	\$ 5,600.00
Incidentals .....	1,000.00
Highways .....	16,000.00
Schools .....	57,550.00
Library                      Dog Tax and .....	1,250.00
Police .....	6,000.00
Stationery and Printing .....	1,000.00
Board of Health .....	1,200.00
Park Commission .....	200.00
Tree Warden .....	1,200.00
Department of Public Welfare .....	12,500.00
Aid to Dependent Children—Federal Grants and .....	2,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance—Federal Grants and ....	8,500.00
Fire Department .....	5,000.00
Town Hall .....	4,300.00
Assessors .....	2,300.00
Vocational School .....	900.00
Inspection of Meats and Animals .....	600.00
Aid—State and Military .....	2,500.00
Interest on Loans .....	750.00
Collection of Taxes .....	1,200.00
Municipal Insurance .....	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	225.00



Dog Officer .....	100.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters .....	125.00
Maintenance, Road Machinery Fund (See Art. 19) .....	1,000.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths .....	1,000.00
Voted to raise the sum of \$2,250.00 in the 1938 Tax Levy to meet balance of appropriation made in 1937, for Fire Station and Legion Hall under Article 28 of Annual Meeting held Feb. 3, 1937.	
Voted to authorize and instruct the Board of Assessors to use \$3,033.13 now in the Town Treasury, as part payment of note coming due in 1938 on High School Loan.	

#### Salary Account

Auditor .....	\$ 500.00
Town Clerk—All fees to go to the Town .....	500.00
Treasurer—All fees to go to the Town .....	700.00
Tax Collector—All fees to go to the Town .....	1,500.00
Selectmen—Total for Board of three .....	800.00
Road Commissioners .....	300.00
School Committee .....	225.00
Election Officers .....	90.00
Board of Registrars—Clerk and other three members to share equal amounts .....	150.00

ART. 4. Adopted.

ART. 5. Adopted. Vote to be as in the Warrant.

ART. 6. Voted that the rate of interest to be charged to taxes of 1938 unpaid after November 1st, 1938 be the lowest that State Law allows; and that the date from which such interest shall be charged, be the latest date that the State Law allows.

ART. 7. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day. The committee appointed to expend the same being Harry N. Wright, Asa Stickney, and John R. Smith, Jr.

ART. 8. Adopted.

ART. 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,697.63 for the purposes outlined in this article.

ART. 10. Adopted as per the article.

- ART. 11. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 and adopt this article.
- ART. 12. Voted that the present or any succeeding Town Treasurer, may during his term of office, with the approval of the Selectmen, assign any tax title held by the Town, whether redeemable or unredeemable, for a sum not less than the consideration named in the tax deed plus interest thereon at the rate of eight percent (8%) per annum from the date of the deed to the date of the assignment of the tax title, plus the cost of recording said deed, and plus a sum not less than the taxes of the two years succeeding the year in which the tax was assessed for which the tax sale was made. The Board of Selectmen shall keep a book exclusively for the records of such approvals by them of assignments of tax titles and the secretary of said Board, shall, upon any such approval by the Board of an assignment, give notice in writing immediately to the Town Auditor, stating the title which is being assigned, and consideration to be received therefor.
- ART. 13. Voted to so authorize the Board of Public Welfare as requested in this article.
- ART. 14. Voted to continue for another year the present committee (William B. Carter and Harold Smith) to represent the Town in Auto Insurance Rates, Fire Insurance Rates, Telephone Rates, etc., with the proper authority to attend hearings when necessary and also voted to appropriate the unexpended balance from the 1937 appropriation for use by said committee during 1938.
- ART. 15. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the improvement of Pleasant Street, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.
- ART. 16. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the improvement of North Street, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.
- ART. 17. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, Highways: said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

- ART. 18. Voted to adopt this article.
- ART. 19. Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 already voted under article 3, together with all receipts for the use of road machinery from any source whatsoever, and that the Highway Commissioners be and hereby are authorized to purchase from such fund whatever new equipment or trucks the Highway Department may need and to pay whatever cost of repairs and maintenance that may be incurred in the usual operations of the Highway Department Machinery from said fund, provided that at the time of the above authorized purchases there be in the said Highway Maintenance Fund a sum large enough to pay for the article so purchased.
- ART. 20. Voted to accept Washington Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.
- ART. 21. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 22. Voted to accept Cross Street from Franklin to Oak Streets as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries as shown on plan on file with the Town Clerk.
- ART. 23. Voted to accept Elm Street from Main Street to State Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with the Town Clerk.
- ART. 24. Voted to accept Walnut Street from Main to State Streets as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with Town Clerk.
- ART. 25. Voted to accept Glenwood Road from Florence Avenue to Franklin Street as laid out by the Road Commissioners with measurements and boundaries on plan on file with the Town Clerk. Moved that Town make necessary taking of land by right of eminent domain to extend Glenwood Road to Franklin Street as laid out by the Road Commission on plan on file with the Town Clerk. Malcomb D. Buchanan and Karl Heidenreich sworn as Tellers. Standing vote taken with 116 in favor and 5 against.
- ART. 26. Voted to adopt the following By-Law: The Town Clerk shall include a copy of the minutes of all meetings held during the current year in the annual Report of the Town Officers of the Town of Tewksbury.

- ART. 27. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 28. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 29. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 30. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 31. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 32. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the Reserve Fund under Section 6 of Chapter 40, General Laws, Tercentenary edition.
- ART. 33. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 34. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 35. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.
- ART. 36. Voted that the Town Treasurer to be elected at this meeting be authorized to sign the deed in behalf of the Town, deeding to Louise McEvoy of Brown Street, a lot of land 10 feet wide and 191.09 feet long on the westerly side of McEvoy Avenue. This being a lot of land taken by the Town in 1936, and in excess of what was needed for street purposes.
- ART. 37. Voted to authorize the Treasurer with the consent of the Selectmen to sign a deed to Dewey Coombs conveying a plot of land of approximately 2700 sq. feet located in the rear of the Town Hall in consideration of a price satisfactory to the Treasurer and Selectmen, but not to be less than the assessed valuation.
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- ART. 39. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to request the Division of Accounts to make an audit of the Town Accounts every year.
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- ART. 41. Voted to authorize the Highway Department to move back to a suitable position the watering trough formerly located at the corner of Main and East Street, and to instruct the Park Commissioners to take due care of it thereafter.

ART. 42. Voted to have the Moderator appoint a committee of six to be known as School Safety Patrol Committee, to establish a School Safety Patrol and to study and supervise School Patrol Work. Irving F. French, Chester Burgess, Donald Dunnan, Mark Roper, Franklin Spaulding, and Cyril L. Barker appointed as such Committee.

ART. 43. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.

ART. 44. Voted to Indefinitely Postpone.

ART. 45. Voted to refer this article to the Board of Selectmen.

ART. 46. Voted to take no further action as Art. 3 already had been voted.

ART. 47. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 for W.P.A. works for 1938. Voted to have the chairman of the Board of Public Welfare act as sponsor's Agent.

ART. 48. Voted to adopt the By-Law as printed in the Warrant under Article 48.

George K. James nominated, elected, and sworn as Surveyor of Lumber.

George K. James nominated, elected and sworn as Measurer of Wood.

Finance Committee appointed by the Moderator to serve three years, as follows: Elmer Olson, John H. Kelly and Winthrop S. Bean.

Polls closed at 8 o'clock P. M. with register showing 1215 which was 2 more than check list and ballots showed. Two ballots stuck in going thru. Correct number of votes cast 1213.

Following is the result of the count:

#### Town Clerk for One Year

H. Louis Farmer, Jr. had.....	473 votes (elected)
Anna McCoy McPhillips had .....	185 "
Adolph B. Moore had .....	309 "
Kenneth A. Sunbury had .....	172 "
Blanks had .....	74 "

### Selectmen for one Year

Irving F. French had .....	817	"	(elected)
Bernard H. Greene had .....	624	"	
Everett H. King had .....	801	"	"
Herbert L. Trull had .....	630	"	"
Mark Roper had .....	1	"	
Franklin Spaulding had .....	1	"	
Blanks had .....	765	"	

### Board of Public Welfare for One Year

Irving F. French had .....	813	votes	(elected)
Bernard H. Greene had .....	614	"	"
Everett H. King had .....	810	"	"
Herbert L. Trull had .....	613	"	
Mark Roper had .....	1	"	
Franklin Spaulding had .....	1	"	
Blanks had .....	787	"	

### Board of Health for One Year

Irving F. French had .....	807	votes	(elected)
Bernard H. Greene had .....	615	"	"
Everett H. King had .....	798	"	"
Mark Roper had .....	1	"	
Franklin Spaulding had .....	1	"	
Herbert L. Trull had .....	612	"	
Blanks had .....	805	"	

### Treasurer for One Year

George Abel Marshall had .....	636	"	(elected)
Gladys M. Haines had .....	246	votes	
Archibald N. Toothaker had .....	245	"	
Alice Pike had .....	1	"	
Blanks had .....	85	"	

### Auditor for One Year

Robert E. Gay had .....	997	votes	(elected)
Blanks had .....	216	"	

### Moderator for One Year

Melvin G. Rogers had .....	995	votes	(elected)
Howard King had .....	1	"	
John Beltar had .....	1	"	
Blanks had .....	13	"	



#### **Tax Collector for One Year**

Louis O. Berube had .....	321	votes	
Harry C. Dawson had .....	448	"	(elected)
Walter W. Lavell had .....	23	"	
Alice A. Pike had .....	408	"	
Blanks had .....	13	"	

#### **Tree Warden for One Year**

Harris M. Briggs had .....	955	votes	(elected)
Nelson Brown had .....	1	"	
James Manley had .....	1	"	
Mark Roper, Jr had .....	1	"	
George Gale had .....	1	"	
Blanks had .....	1	"	

#### **Trust Fund Commissioner for Three Years**

Frederick M. Carter had .....	952	votes	(elected)
Blanks had .....	261	"	

#### **Constable for One Year**

James Bancroft had .....	809	votes	(elected)
Cyril L. Barker had .....	848	"	"
Chester E. Burgess had .....	641	"	
Lauchie McPhail had .....	672	"	"
Blanks had .....	669	"	

#### **Highway Commissioner for Three Years**

Charles Perry Greene had .....	108	votes	
Thomas P. Sawyer had .....	620	"	(elected)
Edward J. Walsh had .....	441	"	
Blanks had .....	44	"	

#### **School Committee for Three Years**

J. Harper Gale had .....	589	votes	(elected)
Guy B. Gray had .....	479	"	
Blanks had .....	145	"	

#### **Trustees Public Library for Three Years**

Marion E. French had .....	924	votes	(elected)
Harry Priestly had .....	843	"	"
George Gale had .....	1	"	
Blanks had .....	658	"	

### Park Commissioner for Two Years

George Mercier had .....	7 votes (elected)
Ray Livingston had .....	3 "
Harry Dawson had .....	1 "
Joseph Quinn had .....	3 "
D. J. Cameron had .....	1 "
James Hamilton had .....	1 "
F. Brown had .....	1 "
H. Sunskis had .....	1 "
Marcille had .....	1 "
Thomas Sawyer had .....	2 "
Jesse French had .....	1 "
James Curley had .....	1 "
Harris Briggs, Jr. had .....	2 "
Mark Roper had .....	2 "
Allen Wilson had .....	4 "
William Carter had .....	1 "
George Gale had .....	2 "
Francis Corr had .....	1 "
Harris Briggs had .....	6 "
Gus Gath had .....	1 "
John Gale had .....	1 "
W. Roberts had .....	1 "
J. Bolton had .....	2 "
H. Patten had .....	3 "
F. Goodwin had .....	1 "
Phil Battles had .....	1 "
Charlotte Carter had .....	5 "
Edith Foristall had .....	1 "
Winthrop Jones had .....	1 "
E. Lyle had .....	1 "
T. McCausland had .....	2 "
E. J. Sullivan had .....	2 "
William Shanley had .....	4 "
Blanks had .....	1146 "

### Park Commissioner for Three Years

Thomas C. McCausland had .....	902 votes
Henry Norris had .....	1 "
James Hamilton had .....	1 "
L. Smith had .....	1 "
Blanks had .....	308 "



Assessor for Three Years

Wilbur K. Foss had .....	986 votes
George Gale had .....	1 "
Blanks had .....	226 "

Voted to adjourn at 12.25 A. M. February 3, 1938.

A true record

Attest:

Harry C. Dawson  
Town Clerk

A true copy. Attest:

H. Louis Farmer, Jr.  
Town Clerk.

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February 10, 1938.

We hereby certify that we recounted the ballots cast February 2, 1938 for Bernard H. Greene and Herbert L. Trull for Selectmen.

Bernard H. Greene had .....	625 votes
Herbert L. Trull had .....	629 "

Signed:

Herbert A. Fairbrother  
Wm. H. Bennett  
George J. McCoy  
H. Louis Farmer, Jr.

Board of Registrars

A true copy. Attest: H. Louis Farmer, Jr. Clerk.

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February 10, 1938

We, hereby certify that we recounted the ballots cast February 2, 1938 for Bernard H. Greene and Herbert L. Trull for Board of Public Welfare.

Bernard H. Greene had .....	617 votes
Herbert L. Trull had .....	608 "

Signed:

Herbert A. Fairbrother  
Wm. H. Bennett  
George J. McCoy  
H. Louis Farmer, Jr.

Board of Registrars

A true copy. Attest: H. Louis Farmer, Jr. Clerk

February 10, 1938

We, hereby, certify that we recounted the ballots cast February 2, 1938 for Bernard H. Greene and Herbert L. Trull for Board of Health.

Bernard H. Greene had .....	615 votes
Herbert L. Trull had .....	611 "

Signed:

Herbert A. Fairbrother  
George J. McCoy  
Wm. H. Bennett  
H. Louis Farmer, Jr.  
Board of Registrars

A true copy. Attest: H. Louis Farmer, Jr. Clerk

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February 10, 1938

We, hereby, certify that we recounted the ballots cast February 2, 1938 for Louis O. Berube, Harry C. Dawson, Walter W. Lavell and Alice A. Pike for Tax Collector.

Louis O. Berube had .....	320 votes
Harry C. Dawson had .....	448 "
Walter W. Lavell had .....	23 "
Alice A. Pike had .....	406 "
Blanks had .....	16 "
Total .....	1213 "

Signed:

Herbert A. Fairbrother  
George M. McCoy  
Wm. H. Bennett  
H. Louis Farmer, Jr.  
Board of Registrars.

A true copy Attest: H. Louis Farmer, Jr.

Town Clerk

## WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Middlesex ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury.

On Wednesday, the seventh Day of September, 1938  
at eight o'clock P. M., to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Surplus Balances the sum of \$1,200.00 to the Bureau of Old Age Assistance Account, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1000.00 from Surplus Balances to the Aid to Dependent Children Account, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$4000.00 from Surplus Balances to the Board of Public Welfare Account, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$3000.00 from Surplus Balances to the Works Progress Administration Account, or take any other action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof. one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof follow not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of August, A. D. 1938.

IRVING F. FRENCH,  
EVERETT H. KING,  
HERBERT L. TRULL,  
Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest: Cyril L. Barker, Constable.

September 7, 1938.

I have served the within Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Office at said Town, eight days at least and over two Sundays, before time of holding said meeting.

Cyril L. Barker, Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest: H. Louis Farmer, Jr. Town Clerk.

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Tewksbury, Massachusetts

September 7, 1938

At a Special Meeting held this day by the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury qualified to vote in Town Affairs, the following business was transacted:

Meeting called to order at 8 o'clock P. M. by the Town Clerk, due to the absence of the Moderator. Check List used and forty-three voters found to be present. Meeting postponed to 8.30 P. M. because of a lack of quorum. Meeting reopened at 8.30 P. M. Louis Berube and Walter Sawyer appointed as tellers. Sixty-seven voters found to be present. Motion made and carried to postpone Meeting for ten minutes for lack of quorum. Meeting reopened at 8.40 P. M. Check List used and eighty-nine voters were counted as present.

Clerk instructed to cast one ballot for Louis O. Berube as Temporary Moderator. Mr. Berube was sworn in as Moderator. Moderator read the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1. Voted: to appropriate for the Surplus Balances the sum of \$1200.00 to the Bureau of Old Age Assistance Account.

ARTICLE 2. Voted: to appropriate the sum of \$1000.00 from the Surplus Balances to the Aid to Dependent Children Account.

ARTICLE 3. Voted: to appropriate the sum of \$4000.00 from Surplus Balances to the Board of Public Welfare Account.

ARTICLE 4. Voted: to appropriate the sum of \$3000.00 from Surplus Balances to the Works Progress Administration Account.  
Meeting adjourned at 8.47 P. M.

A true record. Attest: H. Louis Farmer, Jr.

Town Clerk

## **WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMARY**

**Tewksbury, Mass.**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Middlesex ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury.

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Primaries to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury,

**On Tuesday, the Twentieth Day of September, 1938**

at twelve o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following Officers:

Governor for this Commonwealth,  
Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth  
Secretary of this Commonwealth, for this Commonwealth  
Treasurer and Receiver-General, for this Commonwealth  
Auditor of the Commonwealth, for this Commonwealth  
Attorney General for this Commonwealth  
Representative in Congress, for Fifth Congressional District  
Councillor for Fifth Councillor District  
Senator for Seventh Senatorial District  
Representative in General Court, for Seventeenth Representative District  
District Attorney for Middlesex District  
County Commissioner for Middlesex County  
Sheriff for Middlesex County  
Clerk of Courts to fill vacancy, for Middlesex County

**And for the Election of the following officers:**

Two Delegates to the state convention of the Democratic Party.  
Two Delegates to the state convention of the Republican Party.

The polls will open from 12 o'clock noon to 8 P. M.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this sixth day of September A. D. 1938

IRVING F. FRENCH,  
EVERETT H. KING,  
HERBERT L. TRULL,  
Selectmen of Tewksbury

A true copy. Attest: Cyril L. Barker

Constable

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Middlesex, ss.

September 20, 1938

I have served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said town.

Cyril L. Barker, Constable of Tewksbury

A true copy. Attest: Cyril L. Barker, Constable.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Middlesex, ss.

September 20, 1938

I have served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices, and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said Town.

Cyril L. Barker, Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest: H. Louis Farmer, Jr., Town Clerk.

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Primaries, held this day in the Town Hall, the following business was transacted. Polls opened at noon (12 o'clock) with Duncan J. Cameron, Thomas P. Sullivan, Jeremiah Houlihan, Wallace Farwell, Elmer J. Streckwald and Jesse French sworn in as tellers. Register showed 0000. Polls closed at 8.00 P. M. with register showing 0758 which checked with the voting list. Following is the result of the count.

REPUBLICAN PARTY

GOVERNOR

	Votes
Frederick Butler of 159 Lowell Street Andover .....	38
William H. McMasters of 7 Rutland Street, Cambridge .....	79
Leverett Saltonstall of 240 Chestnut Hill Rd., Newton .....	375
Richard Whitcomb of 90 Park Drive, Springfield .....	24
Francis Kelly .....	2
Blanks .....	2

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Dewey G. Archambault of 179 Pawtucket St., Lowell .....	225
Horace T. Cahill of 60 Arbor Drive, Braintree .....	74
J. Watson Flett of 184 Rutledge Road, Belmont .....	8
Charles P. Howard of 186 Summer Ave., Reading .....	168
Kenneth D. Johnson of 30 Brackett Street, Milton .....	28
Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr. of 57 Codman Hill Ave., Boston .....	5
Blanks .....	33

SECRETARY

Frederic W. Cook of 75 Benton Road, Somerville .....	463
Blanks .....	78

TREASURER

William E. Hurley of 37 Carruth Street, Boston .....	237
Alonzo B. Cook of 4 Bulfinch Place, Boston .....	208
John J. Hurley of 86 Lynnway, Revere .....	27
Blanks .....	69



### AUDITOR

Carl D. Goodwin of 170 Bayswater Street, Boston .....	185
Russell A. Wood of 9 Whittier Street, Cambridge .....	237
Blanks .....	119

### ATTORNEY GENERAL

Howe Coolidge Amee of 285 Harvard Street, Cambridge .....	161
Clarence A. Barnes of 79 Rumford Ave., Mansfield .....	137
Frank F. Walters of 70 Chandler Street, Boston .....	88
Blanks .....	155

### CONGRESSMAN 5TH DISTRICT

Edith Nourse Rogers of 444 Andover Street, Lowell .....	480
Blanks .....	61

### COUNCILLOR 6TH DISTRICT

Eugene A. F. Burtnett of 39 Ware Street, Somerville .....	177
Joseph George Bates of 62 Mt. Vernon Street, Malden .....	58
Frederick E. Bean of 69 Playstead Road, Medford .....	62
Walter A. Raney of 430 Arlington Street, Dracut .....	104
Orvis H. Saxby of Eastview Terrace, Stoneham .....	15
Blanks .....	125

### SENATOR 7TH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

Joseph R. Cotton of 123 Marrett Road, Lexington .....	378
Joseph Lebel of 97 Pleasant Street, Lowell .....	88
Blanks .....	75

### REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT 17TH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

	Votes
Herbert L. Trull of Andover Street, Tewksbury .....	423
Arthur R. Hallenborg of 4 Boston Road, Billerica .....	13
Frederick J. MacQuaide of 404 Salem Street, Wilmington .....	24
Leo C. Roth of 16 Superior Avenue, Dracut .....	65
Blanks .....	16

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY NORTHERN DISTRICT

Warren L. Bishop of 80 Main Street, Wayland .....	268
Robert F. Bradford of 106 Coolidge Hill, Cambridge .....	212
Blanks .....	61

## COUNTY COMMISSIONER MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Smith J. Adams of 19 Columbus Avenue, Lowell .....	82
Thomas H. Braden of 320 Wilder Street, Lowell .....	251
Charles H. Brown of 520 High Street, Medford .....	30
Ernest J. Chesholm of 318 Winthrop Street, Medford .....	13
Byrle J. Osborn of North Mill Street, Hopkinton .....	2
George Wyman Pratt of 35 Clark Street, Somerville .....	15
Charles C. Warren of 15 Maple Street, Arlington .....	60
Blanks .....	88

## SHERIFF MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Joseph M. McElroy of 50 Thorndike Street, Cambridge .....	444
Blanks .....	97

## CLERK OF COURTS MIDDLESEX COUNTY (To Fill Vacancy)

Edward J. Hamilton of 466 Fletcher Street, Lowell .....	188
Frederic L. Putnam of 288 Main Street, Melrose .....	256
Blanks .....	97

## DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Walter R. Ackles of South Street, Tewksbury .....	365
Anna P. Young of Mississippi Road, Tewksbury .....	346
B. B. Benner of Mississippi Road, Tewksbury .....	356
Fred Goodwin .....	1
George Marshall .....	1
Blanks .....	554

## DEMOCRATIC PARTY

### GOVERNOR

Charles F. Hurley of 57 Fresh Pond Lane, Cambridge .....	78
James M. Curley of 350 Jamicaway, Boston .....	87
Francis E. Kelly of 1176 Morton Street, Boston .....	29
Richard M. Russell of 984 Memorial Drive, Cambridge .....	18
Blanks .....	5

### LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

James Henry Brennan of 38 Arborway, Boston .....	52
Edward T. Collins of 162 Westminster Street, Springfield .....	28
Alexander F. Sullivan of 92 Wordsworth Street, Boston .....	21
Joseph C. White of 77 Westchester Road, Boston .....	91
William P. Yoerg of 9 Liberty Street, Holyoke .....	4
Blanks .....	21

## SECRETARY

William J. Ahearne of 28 Baker Street, Lynn .....	15
John M. Bresnahan of 25 Atkinson Street, Lynn .....	13
Henry Clay of 37 McKnight Street, Springfield .....	9
Katherine A. Foley of 17 Allyn Terrace, Lawrence .....	84
William F. Sullivan of 28 Arborough Road, Boston .....	35
John H. Wallace of 1 Swan Court, Boston .....	22
Blanks .....	39

## TREASURER

William F. Barrett of 16 Mansur Street, Lowell .....	91
Ernest Joseph Brown of 31 Lexington Street, Boston .....	3
William H. Burke, Jr. of 70 Main Street, Hatfield .....	8
Joseph W. Doherty of 67 Carlton Street, Brookline .....	23
Owen Gallagher of 652 Columbia Road, Boston .....	25
John Frederick Harkins of 41 Laurel Drive, Needham .....	2
Daniel J. Honan of 23 Fremont Street, Winthrop .....	7
John J. McGrath of 2 Maple Park, Boston .....	20
Blanks .....	38

## AUDITOR

Thomas H. Buckley of 198 Centre Avenue, Abington .....	121
John J. Barry of 37 Swan Street, Everett .....	32
Leo D. Walsh of 2 Summer Place, Boston .....	30
Blanks .....	34

## ATTORNEY GENERAL

Paul A. Dever of 86 Buckingham Street, Cambridge .....	172
Blanks .....	45

## CONGRESSMAN 5TH DISTRICT

Francis J. Roane of Burt Street, Lowell .....	142
Blanks .....	75

## COUNCILLOR

Thomas J. Brady of 36 Smith Street, Lowell .....	28
Edward Brennan of 17 Evergreen Ave., Somerville .....	6
James J. Brennan of 10 Putnam St., Somerville .....	10
Michael Catino of 110 Harvard St., Medford .....	2
Edward J. Coughlin of 398 Washington St., Somerville .....	1
James M. Curley of 194 Middlesex St., Lowell .....	32
Walter A. Hodgdon of 22 Eliot Terrace, Newton .....	1

John M. Hurley of 10 Park Terrace, Arlington .....	3
William P. McGarry of 31 Groves St., Lowell .....	16
Thomas F. McGrath of 217 Willow Street, Somerville .....	11
William McMahon of 511 Concord St., Lowell .....	17
Edward H. O'Connor of 12 Fernald St., Lowell .....	15
Edward A. Rose of 231 Powder House Blvd., Somerville .....	28
John F. Sullivan of 25 Warren St., Somerville .....	7
Raymond A. Willett of 1 Cooke Terrace, Somerville .....	3
Blanks .....	37

#### **SENATOR 7TH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT**

William D. Dacy of 176 Andover St., Lowell .....	91
Edward L. Harley of 46 Crosby St., Lowell .....	11
Joseph LeBelle of 97 Pleasant St., Lowell .....	17
P. Harold Ready of 98 Andover St., Lowell .....	57
Blanks .....	41

#### **REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT 17th MIDDLESEX DISTRICT**

Thomas F. Murphy of Hillside Road, Billerica .....	143
Blanks .....	74

#### **DISTRICT ATTORNEY NORTHERN DISTRICT**

James J. Bruin of 161 School St., Lowell .....	123
Joseph V. Carroll of 154 Clifton St., Belmont .....	25
George A. McLaughlin of 562 Huron Ave., Cambridge .....	33
Blanks .....	36

#### **COUNTY COMMISSIONER MIDDLESEX COUNTY**

Thomas B. Brennan of 72 Bower St., Medford .....	58
Raymond Brennan of 9 Third St., Lowell .....	36
James J. Carragher of 28 Court St., Lowell .....	29
Ralph F. Champey of 76a Prospect St., Somerville .....	0.
Hugh F. Farley of 6 Hildreth St., Lowell .....	35
Byrle J. Osborn of North Mill St., Hopkinton .....	3
Blanks .....	56

#### **SHERIFF MIDDLESEX COUNTY**

Michael J. Dee of 94 Hammond St., Cambridge .....	22
Michael De Luca of 36 Walker St., Cambridge .....	8
James F. Hennessey of 198 Pine St., Lowell .....	76
Clement Gregory McDonough of 727 Bridge St., Lowell .....	49
William H. Walsh of off Cochituate Rd., Framingham .....	22
Blanks .....	40

# CLERK OF COURTS MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Edward L. Ford of 390 Broadway St., Cambridge .....	153
Blanks .....	40

# DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Mary J. Berube of Adams Street, Tewksbury .....	165
William McGowan .....	3
Margaret Streckwald .....	2
Blanks .....	47

A true record. Attest: H. Louis Farmer, Jr.

Town Clerk.

## **WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION**

Middlesex ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in State Elections to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury,

**On Tuesday, the Eighth Day of November, 1938**

at ten o'clock A. M. to vote on the following Officers and Questions:

The Polls will open from 10 o'clock A. M. to 8 o'clock P. M. for the State Election.

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Representative in Congress, Councillor, Senator, Representative in General Court, (1, 2, or 3) District Attorney County Commissioner (except in Suffolk and Nantucket Counties), Sheriff.

### **VACANCY**

In Middlesex County, Clerk of Courts

### **QUESTIONS**

#### **Proposed Amendment to the Constitution**

In All Cities and Towns:

Shall an amendment to the Constitution providing for biennial sessions of the General Court and for a biennial budget which is further described as follows:—

This amendment annuls all existing provisions of the Constitution and its prior amendments which require annual sessions of the General Court, commonly known as the Legislature, and provides for biennial sessions in their place. It also provides that the budget of all proposed expenditures of the Commonwealth shall be so prepared



as to cover two fiscal years instead of one as at present required,—which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and a joint session of the two branches held May, 27, 1936, received 141 votes in the affirmative and 117 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 19, 1937, received 158 votes in the affirmative and 112 in the negative,—be approved?

YES
NO

### Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

In All Cities and Towns:

Shall the proposed measure which provides that in any city or town which accepts its terms, the licensing authorities shall establish free public taxicabs stands for the use of all taxicabs and motor vehicles for hire whose owners are licensed within such city or town, and shall abolish all other forms of taxicab stands on any public highway within such city or town,—which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 96 in the affirmative and 109 in the negative, and in the Senate by a vote of 4 in the affirmative and 35 in the negative,—be approved?

YES
NO

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all three of the following questions:—

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this town of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold he will vote "Yes" on all three questions.

(b) If a voter desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on questions one and three, and "Yes" on question two.

(c) If he desires to permit the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on questions one and two, and "Yes" on three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on question one, and "Yes" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on all three questions.



In All Cities and Towns

1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages?)

YES

NO
2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages?)

YES

NO
3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES

NO

In All Cities and Towns

1. Shall the pari-mutual system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

YES

NO
2. Shall the pari-mutual system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

YES

NO

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the Citizens at the Post Offices in said Town, 8 days at least, and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said Meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid:

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of October A. D. 1938.

IRVING F. FRENCH,  
EVERETT H. KING,  
HERBERT L. TRULL,

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest:

CYRIL L. BARKER, Constable.

October 29, 1928.

November 8, 1938.

I have served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof one at each of the public meeting houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and by leaving 100 copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Offices in said town, eight days at least and over two Sundays before the time of holding said meeting.

CYRIL L. BARKER,  
Constable of Tewksbury.

A true copy. Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, JR.,  
Town Clerk.

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Tewksbury, Massachusetts, November 8, 1938.

At a meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in State Elections, at the Town Hall this day, the following business was transacted. Warrant was read by Irving F. French, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen and the Polls opened at 10 o'clock A. M. with Jeremiah Houlihan, Jesse French, Wallace Farwell, Elmer Streckwald, Thomas Sullivan and William Smith as tellers. Register showed 0000. At 12 noon Anna McPhillips and Duncan Cameron were sworn in as tellers. Polls closed at 8 P. M. with register showing 1309, registered twice on one ballot, check list showed 1308 and number of ballots counted was 1308. Following is the result of the count.

#### GOVERNOR

Henning A. Blomen of Cambridge, Socialist Labor Party.....	3
Roland S. Bruneau of Cambridge, Independent.....	1
Jeffrey W. Campbell of Boston, Socialist.....	9
James M. Curley of Boston, Democratic.....	486
William A. Davenport of Greenfield, Ind.-Tax Reform.....	5
Otis Archer Hood of Worcester, Communist Party.....	0
Charles L. Manser of Boston, Sound, Sensible Government .....	2
William H. McMasters of Cambridge, Townsend Recovery Plan	10
Leverett Saltonstall of Newton, Republican.....	760
George L. Thompson of Randolph, Prohibition.....	1
Raymond Zambeck .....	1
Blanks .....	25

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Manuel Blank of Boston, Communist Party.....	9
James Henry Brennan of Boston, Democratic.....	460
Horace T. Cahill of Braintree, Republican.....	780
Freeman W. Follett of Haverhill, Prohibition.....	7
Joseph F. Massidda of Swampscott, Socialist.....	11
George L. McGlynn of Springfield, Socialist Labor Party.....	5
Blanks .....	36

## SECRETARY

Frederic W. Cook of Somerville, Republican.....	802
Hugo DeGregory of Springfield, Communist Party.....	9
Katherine A. Foley of Lawrence, Democratic.....	439
Eileen O'Connor Lane of Newton, Socialist.....	11
Malcolm T. Rowe of Lynn, Socialist Labor Party.....	3
Blanks .....	44

## TREASURER

Frank L. Asher of Boston, Communist Party.....	9
Albert Sprague Coolidge of Cambridge, Socialist.....	11
Owen Gallagher of Boston, Democratic.....	419
John J. Hurley of Revere, Independent.....	14
William E. Hurley of Boston, Republican .....	796
Ralph Pirone of Lynn, Socialist Labor Party.....	5
Blanks .....	54

## AUDITOR

Thomas H. Buckley of Abington, Democratic.....	474
Michael C. Flaherty of Boston, Socialist .....	13
Horace I. Hillis of Saugus, Socialist Labor Party.....	7
Michael Tuysuzian of Boston, Communist Party.....	5
Guy S. Williams of Worcester, Prohibition.....	11
Russell A. Wood of Cambridge, Republican.....	742
Blanks .....	59

## ATTORNEY GENERAL

Clarence A. Barnes of Mansfield, Republican.....	709
Paul A. Dever of Cambridge, Democratic.....	528
Joseph C. Figueiredo of New Bedford, Communist Party.....	4
George F. Hogan of Nahant Prohibition.....	7
Alfred Baker Lewis of Cambridge, Socialist .....	10
Fred E. Oelcher of Peabody, Socialist Labor Party.....	4
Blanks .....	46

## CONGRESSMAN

Francis J. Roane of Lowell, Democratic .....	281
Edith Nourse Rogers of Lowell, Republican .....	992
Blanks .....	35

## COUNCILLOR

Eugene A. F. Burtnett of Somerville, Republican.....	755
Edward A. Rose of Somerville, Democratic.....	483
Blanks .....	70

## SENATOR

Joseph R. Cotton of Lexington, Republican.....	720
P. Harold Ready of Lowell, Democratic.....	530
Blanks .....	58

## REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT, 17th Middlesex District

John D. Cooke of Wilmington, Ind. Progressor.....	74
Thomas F. Murphy of Billerica, Democratic.....	312
Herbert L. Trull of Tewksbury, Republican.....	883
Blanks .....	39

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY, Northern District

Robert F. Bradford of Cambridge, Republican.....	790
Joseph V. Carroll of Belmont, Democratic.....	463
Blanks .....	55

## COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Middlesex County

Thomas B. Brennan of Medford, Democratic.....	482
Sylvester J. McBride of Watertown, Socialist.....	14
Charles C. Warren of Arlington, Republican.....	748
Blanks .....	14

## SHERIFF, Middlesex County

Oliver W. Anderson of Cambridge, Socialist.....	11
Michael J. Dee of Cambridge, Democratic.....	418
Herbert Harris of Lowell, Independent.....	33
Joseph M. McElroy of Cambridge, Republican.....	801
Blanks .....	45

## CLERK OF COURTS (to fill vacancy) Middlesex County

Edward L. Ford of Cambridge, Democratic .....	460
Frederic L. Putnam of Melrose, Republican.....	792
Blanks .....	56

## QUESTION NO. 1

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Shall an amendment to the Constitution providing for biennial sessions of the General Court and for biennial budget which is further described as follows:—

This amendment annuls all existing provisions of the Constitution and its prior amendments which require annual sessions of the General Court, commonly known as the Legislature and provides for biennial sessions in their place. It also provides that the budget of all proposed expenditures of the Commonwealth shall be so prepared as to cover two fiscal years instead of only one as at present required,—which proposed amendment was approved by the General Court and in a joint session of the two branches held May 27, 1936, received 141 votes in the affirmative and 117 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 19, 1937, received 158 votes in the affirmative and 112 in the negative,—be approved?

Yes .....	458
No .....	303
Blanks .....	447

## Question No. 2

### LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Shall the proposed measure which provides that in any city or town which accepts its terms, the licensing authorities shall establish free taxicab stands for the use of all taxicabs and motor vehicles for hire whose owners are licensed within such city or town, and shall abolish all other forms of taxicab stands on any public highway within such city or town,—which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 96 in the affirmative to 109 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 4 in the affirmative and 35 in the negative,—be approved?

Yes .....	465
No .....	443
Blanks .....	400

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or Town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Yes .....	645
No .....	476
Blanks .....	187

2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Yes .....	630
No .....	459
Blanks .....	219

3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

Yes .....	707
No .....	422
Blanks .....	179

1. Shall the pari-mutual system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

Yes .....	552
No .....	489
Blanks .....	267

2. Shall the pari-mutal system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

Yes .....	511
No .....	520
Blanks .....	277

A True Record. Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,  
Town Clerk.

Attest:

H. LOUIS FARMER, Jr.,  
Town Clerk.



## ASSESSORS' REPORT

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Value of land excluding Buildings Jan. 1, 1938 .....	\$ 862,755.00
Value of Buildings .....	2,006,705.00
Value of Personal Property .....	1,777,211.00
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Total Valuation for 1938 .....	4,646,671.00
Total Valuation for 1937 .....	4,621,693.00
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Gain in Valuation .....	\$ 34,978.00

## TAX LEVY FOR 1938

State Tax .....	\$ 8,592.57
County Tax .....	9,972.76

## TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

Schools .....	\$ 57,550.00
Vocational Schools .....	900.00
High School 1st. Loan and Interest .....	2,204.37
High School 2nd Loan and Interest .....	1,110.00
Street Lighting .....	5,600.00
Incidentals .....	1,000.00
Highways .....	16,000.00
Library .....	1,250.00
Police .....	6,000.00
Stationery and Printing .....	1,000.00
Board of Health .....	1,000.00
Park Commission .....	200.00
Tree Warden .....	1,200.00
Fire Department .....	5,000.00
Department of Public Welfare .....	12,500.00
Aid to Dependent Children .....	2,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance .....	8,500.00
Town Hall .....	4,300.00
Assessors .....	2,300.00
Inspection of Meat and Animals .....	600.00
Interest on Loans .....	750.00
Collection of Taxes .....	1,200.00



Municipal Insurance .....	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	225.00
Dog Officer .....	100.00
Maintenance, Legion Hall .....	125.00
Road Machinery Fund .....	1,000.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths .....	1,000.00
Auditor .....	500.00
Town Clerk .....	500.00
Treasurer .....	700.00
Tax Collector .....	1,500.00
Selectmen .....	800.00
Road Commissioners .....	300.00
School Committee .....	225.00
Election Officers .....	90.00
Board of Registrars .....	150.00
Legion Hall, Payment .....	2,250.00
Memorial Day .....	300.00
Land Court Procedure .....	400.00
Chapter 90—Maintenance Pleasant Street...	2,500.00
North Street, Maintenance .....	2,500.00
To Reserve Fund .....	1,500.00
Repairs of Legion Hall .....	350.00
Works Progress Administration, Work .....	15,000.00
To Remove Ledge on Trull Road .....	500.00
Deficit, on 1931 Overlays .....	154.24
Deficit, on Old Age Assistance .....	247.00

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\$ 169,780.61

#### ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Income Tax .....	\$ 15,144.15
Corporation Tax .....	1,763.52
Reimbursement on State Land .....	3,237.32
Motor Vehicle Excise .....	4,500.00
Licenses .....	1,200.00
General Government .....	1,200.00
Protection of Persons and Property .....	250.00
Charities .....	8,000.00
Old Age Assistance .....	1,927.00
Schools .....	814.00
Library .....	9.00
Interest on Taxes and Assessments .....	2,298.00
Veterans Exemptions .....	75.00
Care of Veterans, over estimated .....	5.00

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Total Deductions .....

\$ 40,422.99

Total Amount Raised .....	\$ 191,048.46
Total Deductions .....	40,422.99

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\$ 150,625.47

Total Valuation, \$4,646,671.00 tax rate \$32.00	\$ 148,693.47
Polls 966 .....	1,932.00

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Total on Polls and Property .....	\$ 150,625.47
Total Valuation of Automobiles .....	188,030.00
Amount of Warrants to Collector .....	5,472.45
Amount taken as Estimated Revenue .....	4,500.00
Amount Abated .....	301.64

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Balance .....	\$ 670.81
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### TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Number of Acres of Land .....	11,659
Houses .....	1,090
Horses .....	82
Cows .....	656
Swine .....	204
Neat Cattle .....	97
Sheep .....	22
Foxes .....	11
Fowl .....	7,304
Persons Assessed .....	2,039

### EXEMPTED PROPERTY

First Congregational Church .....	\$ 50,500.00
First Baptist Society .....	11,900.00
Oblate Fathers O. M. I. ....	33,300.00
South Tewksbury M. E. Mission .....	5,500.00
Congregation B'nai Scholom .....	2,250.00
Catholic Literary Asso. ....	2,250.00
Silver Lake Evangelical Assn. ....	17,000.00
Seraphic Seminary Mount Saint Francis .....	500.00
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp. ....	11,400.00
Pine Hill Cemetery .....	1,000.00
Ladies Shawsheen Camping Club Assn. Inc. ....	500.00
Women's Home & Foreign Mission Society .....	100.00
Roman Catholic Archbishop .....	2,000.00

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\$ 164,300.00

# TOWN AND STATE PROPERTY EXEMPT

School .....	\$ 230,000.00
Library .....	12,000.00
Cemeteries .....	2,300.00
Highway Department .....	11,200.00
Scales .....	500.00
Sealer of Weights, Equipment .....	1,500.00
Public Parks .....	3,500.00
Fire Department .....	24,500.00
Town Hall .....	83,000.00
Moth Department, Equipment .....	2,200.00
Land Reserved for Fire Protection .....	1,700.00
State Property & Infirmary .....	4,300,000.00
Martina Gage Land .....	400.00
Police Department .....	1,000.00

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\$4,577,050.00

Respectfully Submitted,

BUZZELL KING  
PERCY L. HAINES  
WILBUR K. FOSS

Assessors of Tewksbury.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

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Cash Balance January 1, 1938 .....	\$ 52,800.64
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue .....	90,000.00
Loan Reimbursement under Chap. 44, Sec. 6A .....	17,000.00
	\$159,800.64

### Taxes

#### 1933 Account:

Real Estate .....	\$ 39.68
Interest .....	.32

#### 1934 Account:

Real Estate and Personal .....	\$ 739.70
Poll .....	26.00
Excise .....	49.07
Interest .....	158.13
Demands .....	5.25

#### 1935 Account

Real Estate and Personal .....	\$ 287.98
Poll .....	14.00
Excise .....	77.26
Interest .....	61.74
Demands .....	7.35

#### 1936 Account:

Real Estate and Personal .....	\$ 11,632.31
Poll .....	94.00
Excise .....	354.56
Interest .....	1,042.58
Demands .....	57.05

#### 1937 Account:

Real Estate and Personal .....	\$ 19,004.25
Poll .....	236.00
Excise .....	889.07
Interest .....	556.07
Demands .....	38.15

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1938 Account:

Real Estate and Personal .....	\$109,997.26
Poll .....	1,268.00
Excise .....	4,810.96
Interest .....	39.01
Demands .....	43.05

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\$151,528.80

Land and Buildings sold by the Town:

Walter D. and Irene M. Coombs, land .....	\$ 58.40
Store Building and Garage (Wamesit) .....	85.00
Other Land .....	33.00

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\$ 176.40

Tax Title Redemptions .....	\$ 1,933.32	1,933.32
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Highways

State Treasurer .....	\$ 18,088.56
County Treasurer .....	6,530.71

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\$ 24,619.27

Schools

State Treasurer:

Aid to Independent Industrial Schools .....	\$ 431.00
Tuition to Children .....	1,791.32
L. A. Webster, a/c Tuition .....	75.00
City of Boston, a/c Tuition .....	467.50

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\$ 2,764.82

Public Welfare

State Treasurer:

Aid to Dependent Children .....	\$ 2,786.73
Temporary Aid .....	2,309.58
Other Welfare .....	18.00
Old Age Assistance .....	5,026.05
Aid to Dependent Children U. S. Grant .....	1,346.67
Old Age Assistance U. S. Grant .....	8,598.53
Veteran's Exemption .....	65.68
Reimbursement other cities and towns .....	3,251.05
Individual Refunds .....	19.00
Old Age Assistance other cities and towns .....	319.84

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\$ 23,741.13

### Town Hall

Rent of Town Hall .....	\$	306.00	306.00
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### Public Library

County Treasurer, Dog Tax Refunds .....	\$	535.97	
Cards, fines etc .....		7.00	
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	\$		542.97

### Trust Funds

William Prindle Fund .....	\$	2.00	
Ebenezer Page Fund .....		5.00	
Louisa Bridges Fund .....		2.75	
Samuel Jacques Fund .....		2.75	
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund .....		2.75	
Martha Shedd Fund .....		6.00	
Peter Clark Fund .....		5.00	
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	\$		26.25

### Taxes (State)

State Treasurer:

Income Tax .....	\$	14,211.60	
Acts of 1936 .....		157.65	
Corporation Taxes (part) Chap. 108, 1937 ....		387.54	
Corporation Tax B .....		182.20	
Corp; Gas, Electric Lights, etc. Cos. ....		1,076.42	
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes .....		3,237.32	
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	\$		19,252.73

### Police

District Court of Lowell, fines, etc .....	\$	194.30	
Chief Cyril L. Baker, Gun permits .....		8.25	
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	\$		202.55

### Miscellaneous

Town Clerk:

H. Louis Farmer, Jr. a/c Dog Licenses .....	\$	669.00	
H. Louis Farmer, Jr a/c Licenses, fees .....		875.18	
H. C. Dawson a/c Licenses, fees .....		1,034.75	
Sale of Tractor .....		75.00	
Sale of Auto Parts (fire Dept) .....		7.00	



Sale of Truck body Hoist .....	5.00
Sale of Wood M. T. Class High School .....	7.78
Sale of School Books .....	1.10
Century Indemnity Co; a/c damage to Truck ...	51.67
American Legion a/c Rent of Silverware .....	3.00
Advertising Liquor Licenses .....	18.00
Beer Permits (1 day) .....	14.00
Other Permits .....	5.00
Junk License .....	1.00
Used Car License .....	1.00
Information by Assessors .....	1.00
Use of Telephone .....	1.20
Recording Deed .....	2.10
Milk Licenses (store) and Pasteurization Fees	85.00
Director of Standards .....	48.00
Sealer's Fees .....	48.94
Dental Clinic .....	66.75
Refunds Land Court .....	37.62
Other Refunds .....	10.65

Telephone Calls:

E. H. King .....	\$ 1.30
I. F. French .....	2.75
A. S. Haines .....	2.55
R. E. Gay .....	8.45
H. L. Trull .....	18.36
H. C. Dawson .....	43.70
G. A. Marshall .....	1.05

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\$ 3,147.90

**Emergency Funds**

State Treasurer:

Chap. 500 Acts of 1938 .....	\$ 3,500.00
Allotment under Chap. 498 Acts of 1938 .....	1,700.00
Federal Emergency Relief Fund .....	34.27

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\$ 5,234.27

Total Money Received ..... \$393,277.05

**Credit**

Highways:

Highways 81 .....	\$ 22,199.85
Pleasant Street, Chapter 90 .....	1,222.24
Chapter 90 Maintenance .....	6,240.50
Chapter 90 North Street .....	4,196.43

Chapter 498 .....	448.72
Chapter 500 .....	2,131.83
Highway Machinery Fund .....	5,598.82

#### Schools:

Teachers .....	30,491.90
Transportation .....	6,972.69
School Houses .....	2,477.68
School Books and Supplies .....	2,773.96
School Miscellany .....	3,428.19
School Supervision .....	877.56
School Nurse .....	1,299.96
Medical Inspection .....	200.00
Teachers' Retirement Fund .....	1,332.57
Janitor and Fuel .....	7,692.64
Public Welfare .....	16,394.54
Aid to Dependent Children .....	4,718.00
Aid, State and Military .....	1,800.26
Stationery and Printing .....	945.52
Salaries .....	4,528.20
Incidentals .....	905.48
Board of Health .....	1,438.67
Memorial Day .....	298.00
Street Lighting .....	5,507.62
Library .....	1,785.97
Town Hall .....	4,632.73
General ... ..	144,911.04
Moth .....	997.26
Tree Warden .....	1,187.09
Interest .....	334.14
Police .....	5,996.29
Parks and Commons .....	133.75
Assessors .....	2,280.12
Fire Department .....	4,889.48
Old Age Assistance .....	18,504.78
W. P. A. ....	18,984.24
Inspection of Meats and Animals .....	600.00
Maintenance American Legion Hall .....	63.28
Repairs to American Legion Hall .....	350.00
Collection of Taxes .....	947.30
Motor Excise Tax Refunds .....	45.46
High School Building Loan .....	6,333.75
Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	221.00
Vocational School .....	751.50
Municipal Insurance Fund .....	1,500.00
Foreclosure of Tax Titles .....	276.50

Dog Officer's Account .....	95.22	
Cemetery Trust Funds .....	26.25	
Committee on Telephone Rates .....	22.45	
Real Estate Tax Refund .....	213.88	
Board of Registrars Acts 1939 .....	108.74	
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		\$352,314.05
Total Money Received .....		\$393,277.05
Total Money Paid Out .....		352,314.05
Bank Balance .....	\$ 40,919.32	
Cash on Hand .....	43.68	
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		\$ 40,963.00

#### Assets

Money due the Town a/c Highways .....	\$ 14,295.92	
Money due the Town other Cities and Town a/c Welfare .....	1,882.81	
Money due the Town other Cities and Towns a/c Old Age Assistance .....	53.33	
State Treasurer a/c Welfare .....	2,031.11	
State Treasurer a/c Old Age Assistance .....	4,378.28	
State Treasurer a/c Aid to Dependent Children .....	815.67	
Outstanding Taxes .....	57,175.40	
Cash on Hand .....	40,963.00	
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		\$121,595.52

#### Liabilities

High School Loan, Notes 137 to 177 inc .....	\$ 41,000.00	
Additional High School Loan, Notes 189-191 .....	3,000.00	
Note No. 213 due Feb. 21, 1939 .....	25,000.00	
Note No. 214 due Feb. 21 1939 .....	10,000.00	
Note No. 217 due Dec. 16, 1939 .....	20,000.00	
Note No. 218 due May 16, 1939 .....	17,000.00	
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		\$116,000.00
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Total Assets .....		\$121,595.52
Total Liabilities .....		116,000.00
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		\$ 5,595.52

Financial condition of the Town in the last ten years.

		Tax Rate
1930 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st .....	\$ 1,604.76	\$ 29.40
1931 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st .....	11,126.04	24.00
1932 Balance in favor of the Town Jan 1st .....	13,201.94	24.00
1933 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st .....	18,201.94	24.00
1934 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st .....	10,283.39	30.00
1935 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st .....	4,256.33	29.60
1936 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st .....	40,363.11	33.30
1937 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st .....	26,172.22	33.40
1938 Balance against the Town Jan. 1st .....	3,502.38	32.00
1939 Balance in favor of the Town Jan. 1st .....	5,595.52	—
Tax Titles held by the Town December 31, 1938 .....	\$ 16,007.52	

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. MARSHALL

Town Treasurer.

## TAX COLLECTORS REPORT

### 1930 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me:

Property taxes .....	\$	26.60		
Taxes added to tax title in error .....		6.62		
Tax Titles disclaimed 1938 .....		8.82		
			42.04 \$	42.04
Taxes 1930 previously reported as Tax Title				
Redemptions by Treasurer .....		26.60		
Taxes Abated .....		15.44		
			42.04 \$	42.04
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....				none

### 1931 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me:

Property Taxes .....	\$	52.80		
1931 taxes added to Tax Title in error .....		5.40		
Tax Titles disclaimed in 1938 .....		7.20		
			65.40 \$	65.40
1931 taxes reported as Tax Title redemptions				
by Treas. ....		27.92		
Warrant in excess of list .....		5.68		
Credited on Tax Titles .....		16.80		
Taxes abated .....		15.00		
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....		65.40		65.40
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....				none

### 1932 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me:

Property Taxes .....	\$	2.40		
1932 Taxes added to Tax Title in error .....		5.40		
			7.80 \$	7.80
1932 Taxes abated .....		7.80 \$		7.80
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....				none

### 1933 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me:			
Property Taxes .....	\$	7.44	
1933 Taxes added to Tax Title in error .....		5.58	
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Disclaimed in 1938 .....		39.68	
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		52.70	\$ 52.70
1933 Taxes collected .....	\$	39.68	
Interest collected .....		.32	
Abated .....		5.58	
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	\$	45.58	\$ 45.58
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....			\$ 7.44

### 1934 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me:			
Property Taxes .....	\$	325.30	
1934 Taxes added to Tax Title in error .....		6.00	
Disclaimed in 1938 .....		48.00	
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	\$	379.30	\$ 379.30
1934 Taxes Collected .....		116.20	
Interest Collected .....		36.27	
Added to Tax Titles .....		50.25	
Abated .....		182.90	
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		385.62	\$ 385.62
Cash Collection charged to R. W. Barron .....			1.45
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....			28.50

### 1935 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me:			
Property Taxes .....	\$	370.75	
1935 Taxes added to Tax Title in error .....		5.92	
Disclaimed in 1938 .....		41.44	
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		418.11	\$ 418.11
1935 Taxes Collected .....		166.94	
Added to Tax Titles .....		42.30	



Interest collected .....	38.26		
Cost and charges .....	7.00		
Charged to R. W. Barron .....	54.44		
Abated .....	126.92		
		435.86	\$ 435.86
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....		\$	27.51

#### 1936 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me:

Property Taxes as per Warrant .....	\$ 14,459.03		
List in excess of warrant .....	85.06		
1936 Taxes added to Tax Title in error .....	6.66		
Overpayment by Collector to be refunded .....	50.00		
Disclaimed during 1938 .....	46.62		
		\$ 14,647.37	\$ 14,647.37
1936 Taxes collected .....	\$ 10,740.58		
Interest collected .....	967.26		
Costs and charges .....	57.05		
Added to Tax Titles .....	1,370.83		
Taxes reported as int 1936 .....	4.76		
Charged to R. W. Barron .....	49.07		
Abated .....	414.66		
		\$ 13,604.21	\$ 13,604.21
Balance Outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....		\$	2,067.47

#### 1937 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me:

Property Tax .....	\$ 33,653.60		
Abatements cancelled .....	13.36		
1937 taxes added to tax title in error .....	6.68		
		\$ 33,673.64	\$ 33,673.64
1937 Taxes Collected .....	\$ 15,283.52		
Interest collected .....	522.76		
Costs and Charges .....	38.15		
Added to Tax Titles .....	1,365.46		

Reported in 1937 as Motor vehicle .....	8.35	
Charged to R. W. Barron .....	5.00	
Abated .....	466.39	
	\$ 17,669.63	\$ 17,669.63
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....		\$ 16,564.92

#### 1938 Account

Warrants issued me during 1938 .....	\$148,693.47	\$148,693.47
1938 Taxes collected .....	\$109,997.26	
Interest collected .....	39.01	
Costs and Charges .....	43.05	
Added to Tax Titles .....	2,088.48	
Abated .....	599.04	
	\$113,766.84	\$113,766.84
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....		\$ 35,008.69

#### 1933 Account Poll Taxes

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	4.00	\$	4.00
1933 Poll Taxes abated .....	\$	4.00	\$	4.00
Balance outstanding Jan 1, 1939 .....				none

#### 1934 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	150.50	\$	150.50
Charged to R. W. Barron .....	\$	2.00		
1934 Poll Taxes collected .....		26.00		
Abated .....		24.00		
	\$	52.00	\$	52.00
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....			\$	98.50

#### 1935 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	146.00	\$	146.00
Charged to R. W. Barron .....	\$	2.00		
1935 Poll Taxes collected .....		14.00		
Abated .....		12.00		
	\$	28.00	\$	28.00
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....			\$	118.00

### 1936 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	334.00	\$	334.00
Charged to R. W. Barron .....	\$	2.00		
Collected 1936 Poll Taxes .....		94.00		
Abated .....		36.00		
	\$	132.00	\$	132.00
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....	\$		\$	202.00

### 1937 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	470.00	\$	470.00
Charged to R. W. Barron .....	\$	2.00		
1937 Taxes collected .....		194.00		
Abated .....		12.00		
	\$	208.00	\$	208.00
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....	\$		\$	262.00

### 1938 Account

Warrants during 1938 .....	\$	1,832.00	\$	1,932.00
1938 Poll Taxes collected .....	\$	1,268.00	\$	1,268.00
Abated .....		14.00		
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....	\$		\$	650.00

### 1933 Old Age Assistance Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	2.00	\$	2.00
Abated during 1938 .....		2.00		2.00
Balance outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....				none

### 1931 Moth Assessment Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	10.56	\$	10.56
Outstanding Balance Jan. 1, 1939 .....	\$	10.56	\$	10.56

### Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1934 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	350.08	\$	350.08
Charged to R. W. Barron .....	\$	2.00		
1934 Excise Taxes collected .....		39.74		
Costs and Charges .....		4.90		
Abated during 1938 .....		99.67		
	\$	146.31	\$	146.31
Outstanding Balance Jan. 1, 1939 .....	\$		\$	208.67

### 1935 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	388.89	\$	388.89
1935 Excise Taxes Collected .....	\$	71.62		
Abated during 1938 .....		53.48		
	\$	125.10	\$	125.10
Outstanding Balance Jan. 1, 1939.....	\$			263.79

### 1936 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	925.56	\$	925.56
1936 Taxes collected .....	\$	338.88		
Charged to R. W. Barron .....		23.91		
Abated during 1938 .....		75.25		
	\$	438.04	\$	438.04
Outstanding Balance Jan. 1, 1939 .....	\$			487.52

### 1937 Account

Outstanding Feb. 17, 1938 and recommitted to me .....	\$	1,295.27	\$	1,295.27
1937 Taxes collected .....	\$	614.75		
Abated during 1938 .....		25.97		
	\$	640.72	\$	640.72
Balance Outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....	\$			654.55

### 1938 Account

Warrants issued 1938 .....	\$	5,422.38	\$	5,422.38
1938 Excise Taxes collected .....	\$	4,810.96		
Abated during 1938 .....		246.64		
	\$	5,057.60	\$	5,057.60
Balance Outstanding Jan. 1, 1939 .....	\$			364.78
Cash collected during 1938 and turned over to Treasurer .....				\$145,570.16
Amount collected during 1938 by Tax Taking and Tax Titles .....			\$	5,934.12
Total amount of collection during 1938 .....				\$151,504.28

Respectfully submitted

HARRY C. DAWSON

Collector of Taxes.

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPRAISERS

### Moth and Tree Warden Departments

January 1, 1939 .....	\$ 1,218.20
January 1, 1938 .....	1,145.35
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Net Gain .....	72.85

### Highway Department

January 1, 1938 .....	\$ 11,275.00
January 1, 1939 .....	9,437.35
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Net Loss .....	1,837.65

### WPA Property

I Dodge Truck (1930) .....	\$ 150.00
1 Chevrolet Truck (1933) .....	200.00
1 Ford Truck (1931) .....	100.00
Sewing Machines and equipment .....	238.50
Wheelbarrows .....	12.00
Axes, shovels, miscellaneous tools .....	175.00
Office equipment, forms, etc .....	35.00

Respectfully Sumbitted

IRVING F. FRENCH  
EVERETT H. KING  
HERBERT L. TRULL

Appraisers.

## REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS

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To the Board of Selectmen, Town of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

Following is my report for inspection of meats and provisions for the year of 1938 from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1938.

Number of sides of Beef inspected .....	716
Number of Calves inspected .....	497
Number of Hogs inspected .....	728
Number of Sheep inspected .....	77

### Cattle condemned.

Number of sides of Beef condemned .....	4
Number of Head condemned .....	6
Number of Sets of Lungs condemned .....	4
Number of Livers condemned .....	10

### Swine condemned.

Number of Swine condemned .....	7
Number of Heads condemned .....	9
Number of Sets of Lungs condemned .....	7
Number of Livers condemned .....	7

### Calves condemned

Number of Veals condemned .....	31
Number of Sheep condemned .....	5

Respectfully Submitted

ASAHEL H. JEWELL,

Inspector of Meats and Provisions.



## REPORT OF THE BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

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A total of 66 persons were aided during the year 1938. Active as of December 31, 1938 there were 58 cases. Of the amount expended for Old Age Assistance, approximately one-half is financed by Federal Grants, which are received monthly during the year. One-third of the total expense is later reimbursed by the state, but this amount goes into the general treasury, and cannot be applied to finance the 1939 expenses.

The same condition applies in this department as applies to Aid to Dependent Children division, the Works Progress Administration authorities are insisting that those men eligible for Old Age Assistance, give up their WPA employment and apply for Old Age Assistance. There are five cases at the present time who will in all probability make application very shortly.

Our present load of cases has been rather staple for the last four or five months. The turnover has been greater than in past years new cases coming on and old cases dropping off. Our total number of cases has not increased since the first of August.

As these expenses are determined by the number of applications, it is impossible to give more than an estimate as to the cost of operating during the year 1939. To the best of our belief it would be necessary for the Town to raise the sum of \$11,500 as our share of this expense; but the many bills now before the Legislature amending the present law may seriously increase this amount.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Balance carried forward from 1937 .....	\$	255.04	
Appropriations for 1938 .....		8,500.00	
Appropriated from Surplus Balances .....		1,200.00	
Federal Grants Received .....		8,598.53	
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Total Funds Available .....	\$	18,553.57	
Expended per Auditor's Report .....		18,504.78	
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Balance to be carried forward to 1939 .....			48.79

Reimbursements received by the Department:

Town of Wilmington .....	\$	70.67
Town of Chelmsford .....		12.50
Town of Winthrop .....		90.00
Town of Stoneham .....		13.34
Town of Dracut .....		50.00
City of Lowell .....		69.58
City of Somerville .....		13.75

Totals received from Cities & Towns .....	\$	319.84
Received from the Commonwealth .....		5,026.05

Total reimbursements .....	\$	5,345.89
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There is due from the following sources:

City of Boston .....	\$	35.00
City of Everett .....		18.33

Total due from Cities and Towns .....	\$	53.33
Estimated from the Commonwealth .....		4,378.28

Total estimated .....	\$	4,431.61
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Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING

Chairman.

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

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In common with all the towns in this neighborhood, the welfare burden during the first half of the year of 1938, was extremely heavy, probably more so than at any time in the Town's history. The workings of the Unemployment Compensation Commission did not seem to relieve the burden. This was partly due to the provisions in the law prohibiting the commission from informing the local Boards of Public Welfare the status of the cases. This has been corrected during the year by the Legislature, and most likely the results will be more satisfactory from this time on.

The burden has been lighter since the first of July. At the present time we are carrying less cases than in December of 1937. Owing to the fact that in all probability there will be considerable work upon Route 38 this year, it is hoped that those able to do outdoor manual work will be employed.

There is a drive, on the part of Works Progress Administration officials to eliminate from Works projects, those who are entitled and eligible for other forms of relief. This may have a serious effect on Mother's Aid and Old Age cases, but should not affect general welfare assistance. Any general curtailment of WPA projects at the end of 1939 would make a radical revision of these figures necessary.

Following is a recapitulation of the families and persons represented, aided by the Welfare Department of this town for the year 1938:

1938:	Families	Persons
Town settled cases aided in Tewksbury .....	56	194
Town settled cases aided by other cities and towns ....	13	42
Aided in Tewksbury, settled elsewhere .....	48	168
Hospitalization, members of above families .....		14
Hospitalization, cases receiving no other relief .....	9	
Total .....	126	418

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation .....	\$ 12,500.00	
Appropriated from Surplus Balances .....	4,000.00	
Total available .....		\$ 16,500.00
Expended for Direct Relief .....	\$ 13,244.88	
Expended for Hospital, Medical, Dental, Burial, Optical .....	3,149.66	
Total expended .....		\$ 16,394.54
Balance .....		105.46
Received as Reimbursement for aid granted to cases with Settle- ment elsewhere:		
Town of Chelmsford .....	\$ 132.00	
Town of North Andover .....	212.00	
Town of Wilmington .....	273.38	
Town of Randolph .....	148.13	
Town of Andover .....	12.00	
Town of Lexington .....	15.00	
Town of Dracut .....	172.81	
Town of Billerica .....	158.25	
City of Chelsea .....	189.12	
City of Malden .....	99.97	
City of Lowell .....	487.09	
City of Revere .....	536.00	
City of Somerville .....	752.55	
City of Waltham .....	98.75	
Total from Cities and Towns .....	\$ 3,251.05	
Refunds from Individuals .....	19.00	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts .....	2,309.58	
Total reimbursement .....	\$ 5,579.63	

There is due from the following sources:

Town of North Andover .....	\$ 108.00
Town of Wilmington .....	207.81
Town of Billerica .....	104.00
Town of Dracut .....	5.00
Town of Lexington .....	3.00
City of Boston .....	553.80
City of Chesea .....	20.80
City of Everett .....	69.50

City of Malden .....	372.20
City of Lowell .....	119.10
City of Somerville .....	8.00
City of Medford .....	331.60
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Total due from Cities and Towns .....	\$ 1,882.81
Estimated from the Commonwealth .....	2,031.11
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Total due from all sources .....	\$ 3,913.92

The total cost to the Town of all forms of relief, has been \$29,700.00, we have succeeded in collecting from various sources \$13,712.25, making the total cost of Aid to Dependent Children, Old Age Assistance and General Welfare, \$15,987.75.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING  
 IRVING F. FRENCH  
 BERNARD H. GREENE  
 Board of Public Welfare.

# REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE DIVISION OF AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

The act is designed for the care of children who are supported in the homes of relatives. To this the Federal Government contributes and the State makes reimbursement for part of the expenses, although the town bears approximately fifty per cent of the total cost.

Unfortunately, the settlement law does not apply and in our particular case, this penalizes the department to some extent.

The recent rule from Works Progress Administration authorities regarding the employment of women eligible for Aid to Dependent Children is going to increase the burden rather extensively. It seems probable, that we will have four or five new cases as a direct result of this ruling. Our average case costs in the neighborhood of \$50 monthly. It can be seen that a rather substantial increase in this appropriation will have to be made.

A total of nine families representing twenty-six children have been aided during the year.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation .....	\$ 2,500.00
Appropriated from Surplus Balances .....	1,000.00
Federal Grants received .....	1,346.67
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Total funds available .....	\$ 4,846.67
Expended as per Auditor's Report .....	4,718.00
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Balance of appropriation	
(not to be carried forward) .....	128.67
Reimbursement received from the Commonwealth .....	\$ 2,786.73
Anticipated reimbursement due from the Commonwealth ....	815.67

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. KING  
IRVING F. FRENCH  
BERNARD H. GREENE

Board of Public Welfare.

## REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

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To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Tewsbury:

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Inspector of Animals from January 1, 1938 to December 31, 1938.

Cows inspected .....	925
Young Cattle inspected .....	160
Bulls inspected .....	23
Sheep inspected .....	1
Hogs inspected .....	1238
Goats inspected .....	6
Stables inspected .....	84

I have released for immediate slaughter, 80 head of Cattle and 10 Calves.

For dairy purposes 75 head of Cattle and 6 Dogs were quarantined for rabies and released at the end of 14 days, one Dog head sent to Harvard University School.

I have inspected 5 Barns after state and federal supervision.

Respectfully Submitted

ASAHIEL H. JEWELL

Inspector of Animals



## REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

During the summer the Commons were mowed and raked—edges and walks recut. The watering trough has been returned to the Common. It will not be put in a permanent setting until the grade and bounds of the new road are ascertained. A bubbling fountain could be installed easily in this trough.

In the summer the Flag pole was struck by lightning and the top-most badly shattered and should be replaced.

Owing to the raising of grade on Pleasant Street the southerly end of the Common should be graded and raised eight inches and a curb installed on the west side.

Six beautiful trees were felled in the September storm and have been replaced.

We would recommend an appropriation of \$500.00 and the unexpended balance.

Yours respectfully

THOMAS W. McAUSLAND

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

Park Commissioners

# TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

JURY LIST, 1939

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ACKLES, R. WALTER .....	Assembler
AMiot, LOUIS H. ....	Milk Operator
ANDERSON, RALPH A. ....	Milk Dealer
BATTLES, C. ABBOTT .....	Farmer
BLAKE, GEORGE E. ....	Mechanic
BERUBE, LOUIS O. ....	Agent
BONUGLI, LEO M. ....	Merchant
BRIGGS, HARRIS M. ....	Moth Supt.
BUCHANAN, MALCOLM D. ....	Poultryman
CARTER, WILLIAM I. ....	Florist
CAMERON, DUNCAN, .....	Milk Dealer
COLLINS, JAMES .....	Velvet finisher
COLLINS, LESLIE .....	Laborer
DEWING, WILLIAM H. ....	Carpenter
DUGAU, FRED A. ....	Weaver
FAIRBROTHER, HERBERT A. ....	Supervisor
FARWELL, WALLACE A. ....	Carpenter
FRENCH, JESSE J. ....	Farmer
GARLICK, FRED H. ....	Truck Driver
GOODWIN, WALTER E. ....	Salesman
GREENE, BERNARD H. ....	Engineer
GRAY, GUY B. ....	Clerk
HACKER, CHARLES F. ....	Porter
HEIDENRICH, CARL .....	Milk Dealer
HOULIHAN, JEREMIAH .....	Laborer
KASZETTA, ADAM .....	Mill hand
KELLEY, ANTHONY G. ....	Watchman
KELLEY, JOHN H. ....	Railroad Operator
KING, EVERETT H. ....	Farmer

JOHNSON, NILS A. ....	Farmer
McPHAIL, LAUCHIE .....	Laborer
MOORE, ADOLPH B. ....	Storekeeper
OLSON, ELMER .....	Tinsmith
REID, ROBERT E. ....	Poultryman
SMITH, EDWARD H. ....	Florist
STAVELY, ROBERT .....	Janitor
SHEEHAN, JAMES D. ....	Farmer
STRECKWALD, J. ELMER .....	Florist
TEAL, IRVING .....	Foreman
TRULL, JOHN A. ....	Farmer
WILLIAMS, CHARLES D. ....	Market Gardener

IRVING F. FRENCH  
EVERETT H. KING  
HERBERT L. TRULL

Selectmen of Tewksbury.

## REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Supt. for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths, I submit the following:

The Gypsy Moths show a heavy increase. The North section from the Merrimack River to Pinnacle Street is very badly infested. During the caterpillar season in the summer of '38 about 400 acres of woodland trees were defoliated. In the winter of 1937 and 1938, 178,000 egg clusters were treated with Creosote by a W. P. A. scouting crew.

In the summer of '38 a large number of very fine parasites (Calasoma Beetle) were noticed in the North section. These parasites hibernate during the winter in the ground about 18 inches. A great many times they are destroyed by the freezing of ground below their homes. With the protection of heavy covering of fallen leaves it is hoped they will be more plentiful in '39. They will help greatly in checking the Gypsy Moth.

Another project started December 22, 1938 has averaged about 6,000 nests per day. All street trees were sprayed during the feeding season, roads bordering bad infestations were sprayed twice. Tent caterpillars were very numerous but the treating of nests with creosote during May and a thorough spraying in June kept them in check.

The Elm Leaf Beetle were also very plentiful and all Elms were sprayed at least once and many twice. Have not found any Brown Tail Moths.

Extensive spraying should be done this coming summer and creosoting of nests.

I would recommend the appropriating of the full liability for 1939.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

Moth Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Tree Warden I submit the following report:

After the spraying season a brush cutting crew was started and brush was cut on about one-half the streets when the hurricane struck on Sept. 21. Since then our work has been confined to the removal of dangerous trees and stumps. Never in the history of our town has anything so sudden and terrible hit our trees. Thousands were blown down and uprooted in our woodlands and now lay as mute evidence of what a hurricane really is.

500 street trees were also destroyed. 61 trees were removed from roofs of houses, 48 were erected, reset and guyed. One of these trees was 75 foot in height with 32 inch trunk.

It is hoped they will live as the foliage was nearly off and the trees in a dormant condition. The pulling and removal of stumps had to be discontinued owing to the freezing of the ground. Up to this time about 350 stumps have been pulled.

Through the kindness of H. Louis Farmer and Miss Harriet Lee, who donated 6 to 10 foot seedling Rock Maple and Beech trees, about 50 have been planted.

Pruning should be done on all street trees as there are many stubs and hanging limbs to remove—also a thorough cutting of brush on all streets. I would recommend an appropriation of \$1500.00.

Yours respectfully,

HARRIS M. BRIGGS

Tree Warden.

## REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

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To the Hon. Selectmen of Tewksbury:

Gentlemen:

The following is the report of the Sealer of Weights & Measures for the year ending Dec. 31, 1938.

### Scales

Platform over 10,000 lbs .....	3
Platform 100-5000 lbs .....	9
Counter under 100 lbs .....	9
Beam under 100 lbs .....	1
Spring 100 to 5000 lbs .....	2
Spring under 100 lbs .....	17
Computing 100 to 5000 lbs .....	1
Computing under 100 lbs .....	4
Avordupois Weights .....	28
Liquid Measures .....	3
Gasoline Pumps .....	7
Stops on Pumps .....	35
Gasoline Meter Systems .....	16
Kerosine Pumps .....	3
Stops on Pumps .....	11

Fees collected and turned over to Town Treasurer \$29.85.

Respectfully

D. J. CAMERON

## REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Chief of the Fire Department, I herewith submit the following report:

Totals number of fires attended .....	116
Forest Fires .....	39
Grass Fires .....	35
Building Fires .....	18
Chimney Fires .....	5
Automobile Fires .....	6
Out of Town Fires .....	6
False Alarms .....	7
Emergency Call (drowning at Shawsheen River) .....	1

Total value on buildings and contents: Twenty seven thousand three hundred and fifty dollars (\$27,350). Damage: Twenty thousand eight hundred and seventy five dollars (\$20,875). Insurance paid: Nineteen thousand three hundred and seventy five dollars (\$19,375).

Laid 4,050 feet of 2½ inch hose, 6700 feet of 1½ inch hose, 11,000 feet of 1 inch hose. Used 20 extinguishers and 254 Indian Cans.

Raised 300 feet of ladders and traveled 448 miles to fires.

Personal property and real estate of the department, thirty-two thousand, five hundred dollars (\$32,500).

Yours respectfully,

ALDEN S. HAINES

Chief of Fire Department.



## TABLE OF ESTIMATES FOR 1939

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Street Lighting .....	\$ 5,650.00
Incidentals .....	1,000.00
Highways .....	16,000.00
Schools .....	57,530.00
Library (Dog Tax) .....	1,250.00
Police ....	6,000.00
Stationery and Printing .....	1,000.00
Board of Health .....	1,800.00
Park Commission .....	500.00
Tree Warden .....	1,500.00
Department of Public Welfare .....	14,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children (Plus Federal Grants) .....	4,500.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance (Plus Federal Grants) .....	11,000.00
Fire Department .....	5,000.00
Town Hall .....	4,000.00
Assessors .....	2,300.00
Vocational School .....	1,000.00
Inspection of Meats and Animals .....	650.00
Aid, State and Military .....	2,500.00
Interest on Loans .....	750.00
Collection of Taxes .....	1,200.00
Municipal Insurance .....	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	250.00
Dog Officer .....	200.00
Maintenance, Legion Headquarters .....	125.00
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths .....	1,845.76

### Salary Account

Auditor .....	\$ 500.00
Town Clerk (exclusive of fees) .....	750.00
Tax Collector .....	1,500.00
Selectmen .....	800.00
Election Officers .....	50.00
School Committee .....	225.00
Road Commissioners .....	300.00

## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

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The trustees of the Public Library submit the following report:

Details of expenditures will be found in the report of the auditor.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with the exception of July and August.

A committee consisting of Mr. Edgar Smith, Mr. Harold Patten and Mr. Harry Priestly was appointed in February to carry out an accepted project of rearranging the library in order that more books be accommodated. Space was gained for an additional 1200 books.

The change is a much needed one and is most gratifying to the patrons.

The trustees take this opportunity of thanking Mrs. Winifred Colbath, Miss Abbie M. Blaisdell, the Board of Selectmen, Mr. George James and the Welfare Department for their helpful cooperation in making this transition.

The report of the librarian shows that 524 books have been added and that the circulation of both books and magazines is constantly increasing.

Our thanks are due the librarian and her assistants for the faithful performance of their duties and also to the patrons for their cooperation.

It is hoped that the request for \$1250.00 found in the warrant together with money received from dog licenses be granted.

Respectfully submitted

HARRY PRIESTLY  
RUTH W. SMITH  
EDGAR SMITH  
DOROTHY FITZGERALD  
HAROLD J. PATTEN  
MARIAN E. FRENCH, secretary  
Trustees.

# LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

## TEWKSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

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To the Board of Trustees of the Tewksbury Public Library:

The following report is respectfully submitted:

The circulation of books is increasing and since all magazines are put into circulation immediately the circulation has increased more than four hundred. Three district boxes are being sent twice a month to outlying districts. We wish to thank those in charge of these boxes for their co-operation. The library is open Wednesday afternoons from 1.45 to 4 until further notice, Wednesday evenings 7 to 8.30 and on Saturday afternoons from 2 to 9. The Library is closed on legal holidays and the last two Saturdays in August for the annual vacation. All patrons are urged to return their books promptly.

### CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

#### Wednesday Afternoons

Fiction .....	1411	Religion .....	3
History .....	12	Sociology .....	7
Literature .....	14	Science .....	8
Travel .....	27	Poetry .....	5
Arts .....	27	Philosophy .....	7
Biography .....	43	Total .....	1564

#### Wednesday Evenings

Fiction .....	3219	Religion .....	15
History .....	26	Sociology .....	22
Literature .....	22	Science .....	36
Travel .....	47	Poetry .....	16
Arts .....	77	Philosophy .....	9
Biography .....	37	Total .....	3526

### Saturdays

Fiction .....	9433	Religion .....	26
History .....	82	Sociology .....	70
Literature .....	40	Science .....	107
Travel .....	158	Poetry .....	45
Arts .....	219	Philosophy .....	30
Biography .....	121	Total .....	10331

Wednesday and Saturdays, 15,421

Total Circulation, Library and Districts, 18,017

### CIRCULATION OF BOOKS IN DISTRICTS

#### Wamesit

Fiction .....	704	Religion .....	
History .....		Sociology .....	1
Literature .....		Science .....	
Travel .....		Poetry .....	
Arts .....	1	Philosophy .....	1
Biography .....	3	Total .....	710

#### Ella E. Flemings School

Fiction .....	291	Religion .....	3
History .....	4	Sociology .....	6
Literature .....	1	Science .....	8
Travel .....	6	Poetry .....	7
Arts .....	15	Philosophy .....	
Biography .....	4	Total .....	345

#### Mrs. Randolph Fitzgerald

Fiction .....	776	Religion .....	4
History .....	11	Sociology .....	13
Literature .....	3	Science .....	4
Travel .....	23	Poetry .....	
Arts .....	16	Philosophy .....	2
Biography .....	20	Total .....	772

#### Silver Lake Bakery

Fiction .....	766	Religion .....	
History .....		Sociology .....	1
Literature .....		Science .....	
Travel .....		Poetry .....	1
Arts .....		Philosophy .....	1
Biography .....		Total .....	769

Total Circulation in Districts, 2,596

## CIRCULATION OF MAGAZINES

American .....	37	Life .....	127
American Boy .....	25	Life and Health .....	16
American Cookery .....	34	McCall's .....	60
American Girl .....	54	National Geographic .....	93
American Home .....	54	Outdoor Life .....	20
Atlantic Monthly .....	43	Pictorial Review .....	79
Better Homes and Gardens	64	Popular Mechanics .....	100
Child Life .....	144	Popular Science .....	1
Children's Playmate .....	108	Reader's Digest .....	90
Cosmopolitan .....	72	Review of Reviews .....	4
Good Housekeeping .....	82	Scribner's .....	27
Harper's .....	46	Time .....	45
House Beautiful .....	85	Woman's Home Companion	44
Hygeia .....	22	Others .....	19
Ladies' Home Journal .....	38	Total .....	1633

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## BOOKS ADDED TO THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

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### Fiction

Adams, Samuel Hopkins. The World Goes Smash.  
 Allen, Hervey. Action at Aquila.  
 Allingham, Margery. The Fashion in Shrouds.  
 Ames, Jennifer. Her World of Men.  
 Ames, Jennifer. The Pretty One.  
 Archibald, Joe. Riders of the Shadows.  
 Aydelotte, Dora. Trumpets Calling.  
 Bagby, George. Murder on the Nose.  
 Bailey, H. C. This is Mr. Fortune.  
 Bailey, Temple. Tomorrow's Promise.  
 Baldwin, Faith. Manhattan Nights.  
 Baldwin, Faith. Rich Girl, Poor Girl.  
 Baldwin, Arthur H. Sou'Wester Goes North.  
 Barbour, Ralph H. Rivals on the Mound.  
 Barnes, Margaret Ayer. Wisdom's Gate.  
 Barnes, P. R. Crum Elbow Folks.  
 Bassett, Sara Ware. New England Born.  
 Beeding, Francis. The Black Arrows.  
 Beeding, Francis. Heads Off at Midnight.

Bennet, Robert Ames. The Gun Fighter.  
 Bentley, E. G. Trent Intervenes.  
 Bentley, Phyllis. Sleep in Peace.  
 Berkeley, Anthony. Trial Error.  
 Berkeley, Anthony. A Puzzle in Poison.  
 Billings, Buck. Sunken Valley Pass.  
 Blake, Nicholas. The Beast Must Die.  
 Blizard, Marie. Flowers At Her Feet.  
 Boileau, Ethel. Ballade in G Minor.  
 Borden, Lucille Papin. Starforth.  
 Bottome, Phyllis. The Mortal Storm.  
 Boutell, Anita. Death Brings a Storke.  
 Bower, B. M. The Wind Blows West.  
 Boylston, Helen Dore. Sue Barton Visiting Nurse.  
 Brace, Gerald Warner. The Wayward Pilgrim.  
 Brand, Anna. I Want You Myself.  
 Brand, Max. Singing Guns.  
 Brand, Max. The Iron Trail.  
 Brand, Max. Dead or Alive.  
 Brande, Dorothea. My Invincible Aunt.  
 Bristow, Given. The Handsome Road.  
 Bristow, Given. Deep Summer.  
 Browne, Eleanor. All is Bright.  
 Buck, Pearl. This Proud Heart.  
 Burroughs, Edgar Rice. The Lad and the Lion.  
 Burt, Katharine Newlin. Safe Road.  
 Burtnett, W. R. The Dark Command.  
 Burton, Miles. The Man With the Tattooed Face.  
 Caldwell, Taylor. Dynasty of Death.  
 Carew, Jean. Strawberry Moon.  
 Carfrae, Elizabeth. This Way to the Stars.  
 Carr, John Dickinson. To Wake the Dead.  
 Carr, John Dickinson. The Crooked Hinge.  
 Carroll, Eleanor E. Chariot of the Sun.  
 Cary, Lucian. Second Meeting.  
 Case, Robert Ormond. Wings North.  
 Chadwick, Dorothy. Rain Across the Moon.  
 Charteris, Leslie. Thieves' Picnic.  
 Charteris, Leslie. Prelude For War.  
 Chase, Borden. Sandhog.  
 Chase, Mary Ellen. Down in Lyonesse.  
 Christie, Agatha. Appointment With Death.  
 Christie, Agatha. Death on the Nile.  
 Clason, Clyde B. The Man From Thibet.  
 Clason, Clyde B. Blind Drift.  
 Coatsworth, Elizabeth. Here I Stay.

Colt, Clem. The Shootin' Sheriff.  
 Comstock, Harriet T. Lori, A Daughter of Kit.  
 Cooke, Charles. Big Show.  
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## REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

December 31, 1938

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:  
Gentlemen:—

I respectfully submit the annual report of the Tewksbury Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1938.

Total number of arrests: 123.

1—Crimes against the Person	(F)	(M)
Assault and battery .....		9
Murder .....		1
Rape .....		1
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Total .....		11
2—Crimes against Public Order		
Delinquent Children .....	1	2
Drunkenness .....	1	77
Illegitimacy .....		4
Lewd and Lascivious cohabitation .....	1	1
Violation of Alcoholic beverage law .....	1	
Non-support .....		3
Absconding from MSI and afterwards soliciting charity .....		1
Violation of Parole and/or probation.....		6
Operating a motor vehicle so as to endanger		2
	—	—
Total .....		100

### 3—Crimes against Property

Illegally setting a fire in the open .....		1	
Breaking, entering and larceny .....		6	
Larceny .....	1	4	
	—	—	
Total .....			12

### Recapitulation:

1—Against Person .....		11	
2—Against Public Order .....	4	96	
3—Against Property .....	1	11	
	—	—	
Total .....	5	118	123

### Disposition of Cases:

#### Lowell District Court:

Guilty .....	70
Guilty and appealed .....	4
Held for probable cause .....	3
Not guilty .....	3
Drunks released by Probation Officer .....	26
Committed to Jail and/or State Farm .....	35
Fined .....	6
Placed on probation or on file .....	30
Pending .....	1

#### Superior Court, East Cambridge

Guilty .....	6
Not Guilty .....	1
Committed .....	6
Arrested for other departments .....	15
Civil satisfaction-settled out of Court .....	1

Sessions of District Court attended .....	104
Sessions of Superior Court attended .....	12
Telephone calls received at Office .....	3873
Telephone calls received at Chief's home .....	2196
Complaints received and investigated .....	741
Accidents investigated .....	43
Doors-windows-etc found open on beat in Center .....	55
Private hearings held at office .....	64
Poles-Wires down, Street lights out and reported to LEL Co....	20



State and Town Highway Departments notified of Snow and Ice on Highways .....	9
Summons served for other departments .....	51
Public functions "Covered" .....	51
Messages delivered .....	42
Messages sent .....	10
Calls for Dog Officer .....	13
Calls for Animal Inspector .....	8
Investigations for other departments .....	25
Investigations with Federal Officers .....	7
Out of Town investigations .....	11
Fires attended .....	11
Missing persons .....	10
Funerals at which traffic work was performed .....	8
Sudden deaths investigated .....	15
Transported to Hospital .....	19
Transported to Welfare Department .....	3
Dogs reported hit by automobiles .....	14
With agent of Lowell Humane Society .....	2
Runaway children located .....	2
Committed to Department of Public Welfare, Division of Child Guardianship .....	4
Autos reported stolen .....	4
Stolen autos recovered .....	6
Automobile transfers received .....	74
Registration plates recovered at request of and for Registrar of Motor Vehicles .....	16
Stolen and lost merchandise recovered .....	\$3,290.40
Miles traveled in Police work .....	24,348

During the year a WPA Project was created making it possible for a complete card index and filing system of the records of the Police Department to be installed. This project consisted of bringing the records of all the arrests made by the department as far back as records were obtainable, up to date. A filing system caring for all accident reports over a period of three years have been all properly diagramed and indexed. A card system which refers to operators of motor vehicles, who have been involved in accidents in Tewksbury, have also been recorded. A card system to care for warrants, subpeonas, served on individuals in our town, has been completed and indexed. This system has brought up to date all previous records of the department.

During the year, the Western-Electric Radio Receiver has been reconstructed so that the cruising car is now equipped with two-way communication, working in conjunction with the frequency granted the

Lowell Police Department by the Federal Communications Commission. On numerous occasions, the value and efficiency of this system has been proven in the case of automobile accidents, drownings, suicides, etc., and other emergencies calling for immediate attention; being able at the scene to call the Medical Examiner, ambulance, wreckers, reducing the operating costs of each emergency to a minimum.

I wish to acknowledge the splendid co-operation extended me by the Honorable Board of Selectmen, the citizens of the Town of Tewksbury; and commend my brother officers for their loyalty and untiring efforts when called upon to serve, you, the people of Tewksbury in solving cases ranging from petty larceny to murder.

This report would not be complete without mentioning the assistance given this department by the Lowell Police Department, thru the kind consideration of Superintendent Michael H. Winn, who has been ever ready and willing to assist us. Our appreciation is also extended to Harry A. Morrison, Radio Technician, who has serviced our radio since it's installation in 1936. We also wish to thank the Lowell Police Department for radio communications furnished our cruising car without expense to the taxpayers of Tewksbury.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRIL L. BARKER

Chief of Police.

## REPORT OF THE WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION

Sponsor's Agent

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During this year the various classes of projects operating on the first of January were continued. Work on roads was in operation until suspended by the September Hurricane, to make the men available for clearing debris. Under this project the following work was accomplished: Finishing work on Pinnacle Street gravelling and widening Whipple Road; gravelling and widening Pond, Hill and Pringle Streets.

During the spring and summer months, considerable work was done on the High School Athletic Field. The Team House, stands and bleachers have been completed. Much work has been done on the field in taking care of and further developing the graded area. Part of this was done by the National Youth Administration, and part by regular WPA forces.

The field was dedicated October 12, 1938 and I believe most of the voters of the town have seen the results of this labor I believe the plant is a credit to the town and to the WPA administration.

The sewing unit has been maintained at an approximate force of nine women during the year and has not only provided work for this number of women, but has made a great deal of material for distribution through the Federal Commissary.

The white collar project is at the present time working on an index of the Town Clerks and Police Department records.

During the fall months a drainage project for River Road was in operation, this provided for installation of 3,576 ft. of cement pipe and the necessary catch basins. The work was completed early in November and should materially improve drainage conditions in that vicinity, will also lower the cost of the proposed rebuilding of River Road.

Since the hurricane, most of our outdoor labor has been on removal and disposal of fire danger projects.

A very extensive scouting and spraying project for the control of leaf eating insects, gypsy moth, browntail moth, etc., was in operation during the spring and summer months under the supervision of the Moth Superintendent.

## PROPOSED WORK FOR 1939

At the present time there is in the folder the following projects, approved which can be put in operation if men are available, on one week's notice.

Description	Federal Funds
Development of Athletic Field .....	\$ 680.00
Farm to Market Roads .....	16,920.00
Drainage on various streets .....	9,973.80
Forest projects .....	25,934.00
Control of leaf eating insects .....	11,520.30
Sewing project .....	2,978.40

There is, in the process of approval or in preparation:

Deepening and improvement of various branches of Strongwater Brook.

Delayed repairs on various School Houses.

## STATISTICAL REVIEW

Persons employed as of January 1, 1938:

Tewksbury residents .....	61
Other towns .....	6
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Total .....	67

Persons employed as of December 31, 1938:

Tewksbury residents .....	88
Other towns .....	66
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Total .....	154

Respectfully submitted

EVERETT H. KING

Sponsor's Agent.

# REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

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Board of Selectmen.  
Tewksbury, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is our report for the year ending December 31, 1938.

## Chapter 81, and General Highway Maintenance

Our Highway Department has carried out the usual working program, which includes the patching, graveling and bituminous treatment of the Streets.

Bound stones have been set on the following streets:

Cross Street  
Hoover Street  
Washington Street  
Franklin Street  
Roosevelt Street  
Birch Street

We are gradually building up the streets that were accepted in the past three years. While it is impossible to finish all of these streets in a year, we are pleased to report that we have made a good headway on them.

Work on the Farm to Market roads, a W. P. A. project, has continued this year. This project has proven to be a very helpful one to our Highway Department.

This Department is and has been most anxious to keep the men steadily employed. To our regret, it was necessary to practically close down from May 7 to June 6, due to the fact that the State forbid us to spend any money under Chapter 81, until the State approved and appropriated the allotments. We have eighteen men working steady, and ad-

ditional men have had part time employment. We would like to bring to your attention the fact that never to our knowledge has a man employed in this department refused to answer an emergency call—whether for midnight snow removal or the sanding of streets. The night of the recent hurricane, the entire department answered a call, and were all out before midnight clearing the streets in order that traffic might continue.

The following tables give the amount of material used on the various streets during the year 1938.

# TAR, OIL AND SAND

Street	Tar Gals	Oil Gals.	Sand Cu. Yds.
Helvetia Street .....	6998		134
Shawsheen Street .....	7488		196
Heath Street .....	1000		18
East Street .....	5612		134
Pleasant Street .....	3212		40
Chapman Street .....	803		26
Livingston Street .....	4981		140
Trull Street .....	2202		64
Hood Road .....	1188		54
Dock Street .....	1485		22
Vale Street .....	1502		34
Chandler Street .....	4988		184
Brown Street .....	2925		60
Pinnacle Street .....		7152	178
Foster Street .....		3079	108
Rogers Street .....	2507		50
South Street .....	1005	4873	270
Kendall Street .....		2269	142
Marston Street .....	4363		70
Fiske Street .....	2071		44
Carter Street .....	1818		18
Coolidge Street .....	962		14
Cross Street .....	220		18
Whipple Road .....	3397	3404	104
Common Street .....	494		10
Town Hall Avenue .....	494		12
Lowe Street .....	909		16
Ballard Street .....	1181		14
Birch Street .....	800		6
School Street.....	200		2
Parker Avenue .....	598		5
Clark Road .....		3202	60

North Street .....	4199	24
Billerica Street .....	3353	76
Bridge Street .....	963	8
Franklin Street .....	909	20
Salem Street .....		500 8
Woburn Street .....		615 10
Warren Avenue .....	500	6
Dubuque Avenue .....	511	14
Town Barn .....	5323	189
Barker Road .....	163	12
Sand for Ice .....		84

### GRAVEL

Street	Cu. Yds.		
Helvetia Street .....	2138	Livingston Street .....	1668
Washington Street .....	30	Salem Road .....	32
Littlefield Avenue .....	32	Rosemary Road .....	4
Dubuque Avenue .....	72	Felker Road .....	6
North Street .....	6423	Warren Road .....	8
Tewksbury High School ...	172	Parker Avenue .....	12
South Street .....	94	Myrtle Street .....	66
Lake Street .....	4	Franklin Street .....	28
Nichols Street .....	84	Glenwood Street .....	8
Vernon Street .....	10	East Street .....	54
Cross Street .....	14	Whipple Road .....	4192
Pine Street .....	2	McLaren Road .....	38
Pringle Street .....	1690	Warren Street .....	62
Chandler Street .....	8	Brown Street .....	100
Foster Street .....	6	Walnut Street .....	270
Birch Street .....	60	Bailey Road .....	10
Texas Road .....	10	Bay State Road .....	4
Fiske Street .....	22	Water Street .....	12
Pinnacle Street .....	114	Old Boston Road .....	18
Dock Street .....	26	Heath Street .....	4
School Street .....	62	Andover Street .....	160
Coolidge Street .....	16	Astle Street .....	10
Pike Street .....	22	Rogers Street .....	110
Beech Street .....	16	Chapman Street .....	12
Pleasant Street .....	129	Hill Street .....	946
River Road .....	202	Pond Street .....	1372

### PEA GRAVEL

Street	Tons
North Street .....	90
Pleasant Street .....	197
At Yard .....	10



## CULVERTS, CATCH BASINS, PIPE AND GUARD RAILS

New Corrugated metal culverts, catch basins, pipe and guard rails were installed on the following streets:

Street	Kind	Diameter in Inches	Location
Helvetia Street	Corr. Paved Coated	18	Between James' & Goodwin's Res.
Brown Street	Corr. Paved Coated	24	Near Purdy's Res.
North Street	Corr. Paved Coated	24	Near Dawson's Res.
North Street	Corr. Paved Coated	18	Near Dawson's Res.
North Street	Corr. Paved Coated	18	Near Ames Res.
North Street	Corr. Paved Coated	18	Near Ames Res.
Pleasant Street	Catch Basin		Cor. Helvetia & Pleasant Streets.
Pleasant Street	Catch Basin		Near McGowan's Res.
Pleasant Street	Catch Basin		Near Willettes' Res.
Pleasant Street	Catch Basin		Near Tewksbury High School.
Pleasant Street	Catch Basin		Near Norris' Res.
Common Street	Catch Basin		Near front entrance to Town Hall
Pleasant Street	396 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
Chapman Street	201 Ft. 10 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
North Street	171 Ft. 12 In. Plain Concrete Pipe.		
North Street	250 Ft. 12 In. Reinforced Concrete Pipe.		
North Street	48 Ft. 12 In. Corrugated Paved Coated Pipe.		
East Street	570 Ft. Guard Rail, near Robinson Res.		
East Street	200 Ft. Guard Rail, junction of Maple St. & East St.		

## LEDGE REMOVAL

We have had considerable difficulty in getting a Contractor to remove the ledge on Trull Street. Due to the danger involved in this type of work, many contractors refused to consider it at all. Recently we have been fortunate in obtaining the services of Coleman Bros., who have agreed to do this work.

## MACHINERY FUND

This fund, which started two years ago, is proving a success. In previous years equipment, especially trucks, were purchased on the installment plan method, which is expensive at its best. We now purchase all necessary equipment for cash, at a great saving. This year, two new trucks and two new, greatly needed, sand spreaders have been added to our department. All Highway equipment is purchased on the lowest bid prices, while the same applies to all materials used on our highways.

## CHAPTER 498

The heavy rains, which we were subject to during the spring and summer months, caused many dangerous washouts and considerable road damage. Considering this, an emergency bill was passed by the Legislature, which allowed the towns and cities to apply for money to repair the unexpected damages. By putting in an early request for aid, and submitting an estimate of \$1,720. for damage done in this town, we were fortunate to receive the sum of \$1700.

## CHAPTER 500

Chapter 500 is also another new bill passed by the Legislature, under which this town was allotted \$3,500. This sum is to be spent under the approval of the Department of Public Works. We were given permission by this department to use this money to remove damage done by the hurricane.

## MAINTENANCE, CHAPTER 90

The usual maintenance of Chapter 90 was carried out under the provisions of this allotment. All of our Chapter 90 highways are in good condition. The shoulders on all macadam roads were maintained in good order during the year. Practically all 90 Maintenance roads were bituminous treated.

## PLEASANT STREET, CHAPTER 90

At our 1938 Town meeting, the sum of \$500. was appropriated to complete the construction on Pleasant Street. The County allotted \$500., the State \$1000., making a total of \$2000.

Our September hurricane caused great damage in the center of our Town. We felt that our Department should do all in its power to help improve the appearance at this particular place. Taking up the matter with our Engineer, he suggested a Class I construction to be used here, and estimated it would require an additional \$1,500. This Class I construction is a specially applied bituminous concrete material, which makes a very fine appearing and wearing road. It is also highly approved of by the State.

Therefore, we asked for a second allotment of our State and County, which was granted. The State contributed the sum of \$750., the County \$375., and we have reserved \$375 of our Highway fund to be used for this purpose. These allotments were not received until December 15. Weather conditions at that time were unfavorable and construction was discontinued. We will continue and complete this work as soon as these conditions improve.

## NORTH STREET, CHAPTER 90

Construction on North Street is well under way, considering the fact the allotment was not received until a late date. This construction calls for a bituminous treated graveled road, with all proper drainage. We are satisfied with the way this work is progressing, but do hope our allotments in the future will come in at an earlier date, in order that we might be able to complete this work before the end of the year. To continue this work we are asking for the sum of \$2500.00 to be appropriated this year to be used with any State or County money allotted.

For a financial report of the department we refer you to the auditor's report of highway expenditures.

In closing this report, our appreciation and thanks are extended to our Board of Selectmen, State and County officials, and engineers for their cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS P. SAWYER  
JOHN T. GALE  
CHESTER M. ROPER  
Road Commissioners  
of Tewksbury.

DANIEL STERLING,  
Superintendent of Streets.

## REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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Chairman Greene and Members of the Tewksbury Board of Health:  
Gentlemen:

The following is my report for the Department of Health for the year ending December 31st, 1938.

The general health of the community has been rather above the average, as far as the contagious cases occurring among the children. This is partly due to the excellent work of the School Nurse in quickly recognizing the early symptoms and immediate isolation to prevent spread of the disease. The cases of Dog-bites have been, as usual large but only two of the dogs quarantined were Rabid and neither dog had bitten a human, but every case of this kind means expense to the town. I again recommend more thorough cleaning out of unlicensed dogs, since cost of treatment of a patient bitten by a known rabid dog must be borne entirely by the town where said dog is unlicensed, while the County repays this expenditure if the animal is properly registered. This past year has been particularly hard, both for the Tuberculosis invalids and for the health department appropriation. Each case must be cared for at the expense of this department in a sanitarium at a cost of about \$575.00 for each patient. With three cases under care we have found it necessary to increase the appropriation the coming year.

### Contagious Cases

Cases	No.	Deaths
Dog Bite .....	11	0
Human Rabies .....	0	0
Tuberculosis .....	3	1
Measles .....	1	0
Scarlet Fever .....	2	0
Diphtheria .....	1	0
Pneumonia .....	5	0
Total .....	23	1

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D., Agent

**REPORT OF THE AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS  
FOR THE TOWN OF TEWKSBURY**

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To the Board of Selectmen,  
Mr. Irving F. French, Chairman,  
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the accounts of the town of Tewksbury for the period from August 24, 1937 to July 11, 1938, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL,

Director of Accounts.

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Mr. Theodore N. Waddell,  
Director of Accounts,  
Department of Corporations and Taxation,  
State House, Boston.

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Tewksbury for the period from August 24, 1937, the date of the previous examination, to July 11, 1938, and submit the following report thereon.

The financial transactions, as recorded on the books of the various departments receiving or disbursing town funds or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked.

The appropriation accounts, as shown on the records of the town auditor, were examined and checked in detail, the appropriations and transfers being checked with the town clerk's records of town meetings, and the recorded disbursements being checked with the treasurer's records. A complete set of ledger accounts was constructed, and from these compiled accounts a balance sheet, showing the financial condition of the town as of July 11, 1938, was prepared and is appended to this report.

The balance sheet shows overlay deficits of \$711.84 as of the date of the audit. Of this sum, \$401.24 was raised in the levy of 1938, leaving a balance of \$310.60 which should be provided for in 1939, together with any additional overlay deficits which may exist at the time the 1939 rate is to be fixed.

It was found that the grants received from the Federal Government on account of "Old Age Assistance—Assistance", "Old Age Assistance—Administration", and "Aid to Dependent Children" are being merged with the town appropriations for these purposes. Attention in this connection is called to Section 7, Chapter 413, and to Section 7, Chapter 436, Acts of 1936, which requires that the money thus received shall be kept in separate accounts and expended for the purposes specified by the State Department of Public Welfare. Payments on approved cases should be charged directly against the proper grant accounts, and any balances in these accounts at the close of the year should be carried forward.

The books and accounts of Alice A. Pike as town treasurer from August 24, 1937 to February 7, 1938, and those of George A. Marshall as town treasurer from February 8 to July 11, 1938, were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were analyzed and checked with the records in the various departments collecting money



for the town or committing bills for collection, and with the other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury. The disbursements were checked with the auditor's records and with the bills, vouchers, and pay-rolls approved by the selectmen. The cash book additions were proved, and the cash balance on July 11, 1938, was verified by actual count of the cash in the office and by a reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement furnished by the bank.

The payments on accounts of maturing debt and interest were proved with the amounts falling due and were checked with the canceled securities and coupons on file.

The investments of the several town trust funds, as represented by savings bank books in the custody of the town treasurer, were examined. The income was proved and the disbursements were verified.

The tax titles held by the town, as shown by the treasurer's records, were examined and checked in detail. The taxes transferred to the tax title account were compared with the tax books, the recorded redemptions being checked to the treasurer's cash book, and the tax titles disclaimed or foreclosed being checked with recorded affidavits and deeds on file. The tax titles on hand July 11, 1938, were listed and checked to the deeds on file, and were further verified by a comparison with the records in the Registry of Deeds.

The books and accounts of Alice A. Pike as tax collector from August 24, 1937 to February 17, 1938, as well as those of Harry C. Dawson as tax collector from February 18 to July 11, 1938, were examined and checked in detail. The taxes outstanding at the time of the previous examination were audited, and all subsequent commitments were verified and compared with the assessors' warrants for their collection. The recorded collections were compared with the payments to the treasurer, the recorded abatements were checked with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the taxes transferred to the tax title account were compared with the treasurer's records of tax titles.

The outstanding accounts were further verified by mailing notices to a large number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

With reference to the cash shortage in the accounts of Robert W. Barron, former tax collector, as disclosed by the previous audit, it was found that the amount of this shortage on August 24, 1937, of \$32,147.14, was paid in full by the surety company, together with \$300 interest. However, as a result of further proofs of claim of payments being submitted, an additional shortage in the amount of \$145.21 has



been established, and a number of other claims of payment, not yet substantiated, will, if proved, further increase the amount of this additional cash shortage.

The town clerk's records of financial votes passed by the town were examined. The records of dog licenses, sporting licenses, and town licenses issued by Harry C. Dawson, as town clerk from August 24, 1937 to February 8, 1938, and H. Louis Farmer, Jr., as town clerk from February 9 to July 25, 1938, were examined, and the recorded collections were checked with the payments to the county, state, and town treasurers.

The records of receipts from town hall rentals, sealer's fees, and from the health and public welfare departments, as well as from all other departments collecting money for the town, or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked. The recorded collections were compared with the payments to the town treasurer, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The surety bonds on file for the several town officials required by law to furnish them were examined, and found to be in proper form.

Appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, are tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's, the tax collectors', and the town clerk's cash, summaries of the tax, tax title, and town clerk's accounts, as well as schedules showing the transactions in the various trust funds.

For the co-operation extended by the several town officials, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,  
Assistant Director of Accounts.

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# TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

Balance Sheet—July 11, 1938

## GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash:		Temporary Loans:	
In Banks and Office—General .....	\$ 43,098.17	In Anticipation of Revenue 1937 \$ 50,000.00	
Alice A. Pike, former Collector ...	6.63	In Anticipation of Revenue 1938 70,000.00	
Discrepancy Robert W. Barron, former Collector .....	145.21		\$120,000.00
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	\$ 43,250.01	Overpayments to be Refunded:	
Accounts Receivable:		Poll Taxes 1935, .....	\$ 6.00
Taxes:		Property Taxes 1935 .....	25.96
Property 1930 .....	\$ 6.62	Poll Taxes 1936 .....	1.00
Property 1931 .....	24.60	Property Taxes 1936 .....	55.63
Property 1932 .....	7.80	Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1934	2.00
Poll 1933 .....	4.00	Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1935	6.30
Property 1933 .....	13.02	Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1936	2.00
Poll 1934 .....	124.50	Tax Titles .....	8.83
Property 1934 .....	225.55		<hr/>
Poll 1935 .....	130.00		\$ 107.72
Property 1935 .....	209.21		
Poll 1936 .....	252.00	Abatements and Payments to be Refunded:	
Property 1936 .....	9,515.73	Property Taxes 1935 .....	\$ 156.88
		Property Taxes 1936 .....	6.66

Poll 1937 .....	294.00	Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1935	2.49
Property 1937 .....	26,449.54	Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1936	3.01
Poll 1938 .....	1,170.00	Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1937	2.85
	<u>\$ 38,426.57</u>		<u>\$ 171.89</u>
Old Age Assistance Taxes:		County—Dog Licenses .....	154.80
Levy of 1933 .....	2.00		
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		Overestimates 1937:	
Levy of 1934 .....	\$ 315.96	Care of Veterans Tax .....	5.00
Levy of 1935 .....	340.29		
Levy of 1936 .....	648.79	Appropriation Balances:	
Levy of 1937 .....	728.61	Revenue .....	80,195.38
Levy of 1938 .....	1,872.13	Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus ....	1,477.51
	<u>\$ 3,905.78</u>		
Special Assessments:		Overlays Reserved for Abatement	
Moth 1931 .....	10.56	of Taxes:	
Tax Titles .....	12,731.00	Levy of 1933 .....	\$ 17.02
Tax Title Possessions .....	571.72	Levy of 1934 .....	350.05
		Levy of 1936 .....	1,462.02
Departmental:		Levy of 1937 .....	719.50
Public Welfare .....	\$ 3,133.08		<u>\$ 2,548.59</u>
Old Age Assistance .....	5,393.00		
	<u>\$ 8,526.08</u>		

# Revenue 1938:

Appropriations ..... \$167,981.37

County Hospital

Assessments ... 2,810.33

\$170,791.70

Less Estimated

Receipts Collected

—18,459.35

\$152,332.35

Due from Cemetery Perpetual

Care Funds ..... 11.00

Overdraft 1937:

Old Age Assistance ..... 24.89

Deficits to be Raised:

Overlay 1930 ..... \$ 26.32

Overlay 1931 ..... 203.84

Overlay 1935 ..... 224.68

Overlay 1938 ..... 10.00

Abatements, Old Age

Assistance Taxes ..... 247.00

\$ 711.84

Underestimates 1937:

State Tax ..... \$ 495.00

State Parks Tax ..... 53.78

County Tax ..... 76.89

\$ 625.67

\$261,129.47

# Revenue Reserved Until Collected:

Motor Vehicle Excise Tax ..... \$ 3,905.78

Special Assessment ..... 10.56

Tax Title ..... 13,302.72

Departmental ..... 8,526.08

\$ 25,745.14

Surplus Revenue ..... \$ 30,723.44

\$261,129.47

# DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt .....	\$ 48,000.00	High School Construction Loan ....	\$ 48,000.00
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# TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:		Foster School Fund .....	\$ 1,097.80
Cash and Securities:		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds ...	1,669.38
In Custody of Town Treasurer	\$ 14,743.48	Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund	11,976.30
	<u>\$ 14,743.48</u>		<u>\$ 14,743.48</u>

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

### HIGHWAYS

Appropriation .....	\$ 16,000.00	
Allotment by State .....	9,150.00	
		\$ 25,150.00
Less amount credited to Highway Machinery Fund .....		2,575.00
		\$ 22,575.00
Transferred to Pleasant Street .....		375.00
		\$ 22,200.00

### Expenditures

#### Labor and Material

Daniel Sterling, Supt. ....	\$ 1,053.13
James Manley, Chauffeur .....	771.00
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur .....	657.25
James Bancroft, Chauffeur .....	676.50
Homer Darby, Chauffeur .....	669.25
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur .....	727.75
Eugene Winter, Chauffeur .....	158.09
Roland Robinson, Operator .....	728.75
Miles Record, Laborer .....	1.38
Alton Parker, Laborer .....	690.92
Joseph Aubut, Laborer .....	710.93
Edward Penney, Laborer .....	647.68
William Penney, Laborer .....	633.19
Herman Otto, Laborer .....	4.50
George Gale, Laborer .....	653.20
Francis Brown, Laborer .....	626.98
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer .....	618.78
Winthrop Jones, Laborer .....	643.77
John Hannigan, Laborer .....	4.50
Stanley Alex, Laborer .....	4.50
Donat Miron, Laborer .....	4.50
Amedie Mercier, Laborer .....	4.50

Joseph Cisluycis, Laborer .....	256.91
Forrest Foster, Laborer .....	31.20
George Dutch, Laborer .....	31.20
Thomas Hogan, Laborer .....	1.38
Richard O'Neill, Laborer .....	245.95
Nelson Brown, Laborer .....	201.25
James Sheehan, Chauffeur .....	7.50
Edgar Hinton, use of truck .....	85.88
Fred Garlick, use of truck .....	71.25
James Sheehan, use of truck .....	66.13
John MacLellan, range oil .....	2.98
Jacob Halpersohn, gravel .....	383.25
William Cuskey, gravel .....	122.25
John Brady, use of steam shovel and truck .....	278.05
C. B. Coburn Co., calcium chloride .....	31.68
Osterman Coal Co., coke .....	12.50
Russell Lumber Co., lumber .....	54.65
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil .....	6,130.82
Berger Metal Culvert Co., culvert pipe .....	120.89
John J. Belton, sand .....	133.40
Leo M. Bonugli, gravel .....	98.80
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe....	354.56
James Marshall, stone slabs .....	15.00
New England Metal Culvert Co., pipe, etc. ....	69.27
The Barrett Co., road oil .....	1,424.83
H. E. Fletcher Co., granite posts .....	63.00
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	\$ 20,985.63

#### Snow Removal

Daniel Sterling, Supt. ....	\$ 8.44
James Manley, Chauffeur .....	56.25
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur .....	56.00
James Bancroft, Chauffeur .....	36.25
Homer Darby, Chauffeur .....	33.25
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur .....	53.00
Roland Robinson, Operator .....	27.25
Alton Parker, Laborer .....	24.84
Joseph Aubut, Laborer .....	16.79
William Penney, Laborer .....	15.41
George Gale, Laborer .....	5.98
Eugene Winter, Laborer .....	10.12
Francis Brown, Laborer .....	5.52
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer .....	24.93
Winthrop Jones, Laborer .....	10.12
William McKay, Laborer .....	2.76



Edward Penney, Laborer .....	4.37	
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur .....	21.00	
Joseph Cisluycis .....	7.13	
	<hr/>	\$ 419.41

#### Supplies and Other Expenses

Thomas Sawyer, paid for registration of trucks \$	12.00	
Thomas Sawyer, paid for supplies .....	14.22	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones .....	172.82	
Mildred Sawyer, clerical work .....	85.80	
Osterman Coal Co., coke .....	39.00	
Dana F. Perkins, making survey and plans for streets .....	179.50	
Dr. S. A. Dibbins, professional services .....	3.00	
John L. Fleming, renewal of policy on tractor and truck .....	37.12	
Balfe Service Co., printing .....	26.75	
G. C. Prince & Son, Diary .....	2.75	
Dr. Ralph Heifetz, professional services .....	9.00	
State Infirmary, medical aid to Homer Darby & Edward Penney .....	3.00	
Mrs. Loella F. Dewing, advertising .....	3.75	
Surgical Dressing Inc., First Aid Supplies .....	4.10	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services .....	200.00	
Thomas Sullivan, labor .....	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 794.81
Total amount available for General Highways .....	\$ 22,200.00	
Expenditures .....	22,199.85	

Unexpended .....	.15
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#### Highway Machinery Fund

Brought forward from 1937 .....	\$ 101.16	
Appropriation .....	1,000.00	
Credited from Chapter 81 Payrolls .....	2,575.00	
Credited from Chapter 90 Payrolls .....	1,259.50	
Credited from Chapter 500 Payrolls .....	310.00	
Credited from Pleasant St. Payrolls .....	354.00	
Credited from North St. Payrolls .....	1,069.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,668.66

#### Expenditures

Lowell Co-Operative Bank, storage of trucks ....	\$ 204.00
G. R. Myers Co., sharpening drills, etc. ....	53.20

Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., parts & repairs ....	151.97	
Cities Service Oil Co., gasoline .....	1,480.29	
Currier's Express, express .....	1.00	
Colonial Beacon Oil Co., oil & parts .....	617.96	
Oscar's Welding Shop, repairs .....	16.50	
Clark-Wilcox Co., labor & parts .....	21.34	
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline & oil .....	13.36	
Boston & Maine R. R., freight .....	1.75	
Towers Motor Parts Corp., parts .....	20.24	
John G. MacLellan, range oil .....	24.99	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor & parts .....	517.09	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies .....	8.46	
Carson Express, carrying blades .....	2.00	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline & oil .....	3.81	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies .....	31.11	
Sherburne Brothers, plank & crosspieces .....	11.30	
Hedge & Mattheis Co., parts .....	64.36	
Wilbur K Foss, lettering doors .....	6.50	
Napoleon Boucher, filing saws, etc. ....	1.50	
John F. Fleming, Insurance on trucks .....	28.11	
Billerica Motor Sales Co., labor & parts .....	153.87	
Billerica Motor Sales Co., 2 dump trucks .....	1,675.00	
Pond Street Garage, labor on truck .....	1.00	
The Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., hardware supplies .....	47.47	
Fairgrieve Belting Co., belting & repairs .....	21.36	
Burton H. Wiggin, sand screens etc. ....	14.75	
Daniel Sterling, paid for transferring plates .....	2.00	
Jesse Trull, chain .....	10.00	
Harry C. Dawson, insurance on trucks .....	14.11	
John Brown, purchase of saw .....	4.00	
William P. Dowling, repairs .....	2.40	
Lowell Glass Co., glass .....	2.75	
John C. Bennett, hardware supplies .....	242.07	
Middlesex Machine Co., bolts .....	2.70	
Osterman Coal Co., coke .....	26.00	
Bill Moss, mounting tires .....	1.50	
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registration of trucks & tractor .....	12.00	
R. E. Gay, Heavy Snow Plow .....	85.00	
		<hr/> \$ 5,598.82
Balance carried to 1939 .....		<hr/> \$ 1,069.84

## CHAPTER 90

### Maintenance

Appropriation .....	\$ 2,500.00	
Allotment by State .....	2,500.00	
Allotment by County .....	2,500.00	
		\$ 7,500.00
Less Amount Credited to Highway Machinery		
Fund .....		1,259.50
		\$ 6,240.50

### Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt. ....	\$ 210.32
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur .....	156.00
Homer Darby, Chauffeur .....	148.50
James Bancroft, Chauffeur .....	180.50
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer .....	173.77
William Penney, Laborer .....	145.01
Francis Brown, Laborer .....	167.09
Winthrop Jones, Laborer .....	145.01
Richard O'Neill, Laborer .....	168.93
Joseph Cisluycis, Laborer .....	123.51
Nelson Brown, Chauffeur .....	147.54
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur .....	157.25
Roland Robinson, Laborer .....	131.75
Alton Parker, Laborer .....	79.35
Joseph Aubut, Laborer .....	79.35
Edward Penney, Laborer .....	101.43
George Gale, Laborer .....	122.93
James Manley, Chauffeur .....	104.50
John Dupee, Laborer .....	52.20
Louis Amiot, Laborer .....	25.64
Arthur Sparkes, Laborer .....	25.64
Ernest Treadwell, Laborer .....	21.50
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road oil .....	2,186.87
Explosive Supply Co., dynamite & caps .....	12.75
John Brady, gravel .....	296.78
John J. Belton, sand .....	63.20
Wilder Grain Co., cement .....	54.00
State Prison, concrete posts, frames & grates ....	169.16
Jacob Halperschon, gravel .....	28.80
James Sheehan, use of truck .....	6.38
The Barrett Co., road oil .....	438.24

New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe ....	128.10	
Leo Bonugli, gravel .....	8.40	
New England Metal Culvert Co., cable & at- tachments .....	180.10	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,240.50

#### HURRICANE CHAPTER 500

Allotment by State .....	\$ 3,500.00	
Less Amount Credited to Highway Machinery Fund .....	310.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,190.00

#### Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt. ....	\$ 30.00
James Manley, Chauffeur .....	27.00
James Bancroft, Chauffeur .....	24.25
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur .....	19.25
Homer Darby, Chauffeur .....	29.00
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur .....	31.50
Roland Robinson, Laborer .....	22.50
Richard O'Neill, Laborer .....	51.50
Jeremiah Houlihan, Laborer .....	30.50
Alton Parker, Laborer .....	18.40
Joseph Aubut, Laborer .....	42.40
Edward Penney, Laborer .....	18.40
William Penney, Laborer .....	16.79
George Gale, Laborer .....	12.88
Francis Brown, Laborer .....	18.40
Winthrop Jones, Laborer .....	18.40
Joseph Cislucyis, Laborer .....	21.39
Nelson Brown, Laborer .....	18.40
John Smith, Laborer .....	8.75
Gus Gath, Laborer .....	12.00
Harris Briggs, Laborer .....	4.25
John LaFranier, Laborer .....	2.00
Elmer Olson, Laborer .....	2.00
Anthony Zygelis, Laborer .....	45.75
Eugene Dyleski, Laborer .....	9.75
James Livingston, Laborer .....	7.50
Louis Amiot, Laborer .....	76.50
Arthur Sparkes, Laborer .....	76.50
Joseph Maher, Laborer .....	20.50
James Hamilton, Laborer .....	27.50
James Touhy, Laborer .....	5.00

Matthew Stevenson, Laborer .....	5.00	
John Dupee, Laborer .....	77.50	
Forrest Foster, Laborer .....	15.00	
Bruno Cislucyis, Laborer .....	19.50	
John Gontarg, Laborer .....	19.50	
Miles Record, Laborer .....	4.25	
Harry Curtis, Laborer .....	4.25	
William McKay, Laborer .....	4.25	
Harry Patterson, Jr. Laborer .....	6.50	
Robert Briggs, Laborer .....	12.50	
Fred Record, Laborer .....	59.75	
Napoleon Boucher, Laborer .....	12.50	
Richard McKay, Laborer .....	4.25	
James Ogston, Laborer .....	60.00	
Alex Supranault, labor at fires .....	10.25	
J. R. Smith, labor at fires .....	2.50	
Anthony Cidado, labor at fires .....	5.25	
J. R. Smith, repairing garage doors .....	36.17	
Andrew Suprenant, labor .....	27.50	
Fred H. Garlick, trucking .....	156.25	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline .....	76.12	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies .....	65.00	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe ...	636.80	
Explosive Supply Co., dynamite & caps .....	12.75	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies .....	30.66	
G. R. Myers Co., repairs .....	3.75	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber .....	15.12	
		\$ 2,131.83
Balance carried to 1939 .....		\$ 1,058.17

## PLEASANT STREET

### CHAPTER 90

Appropriation .....	\$ 500.00	
1st Allotment by State .....	1,000.00	
1st Allotment by County .....	500.00	
2nd Allotment by State .....	750.00	
2nd Allotment by County .....	375.00	
Transferred from Highway Account .....	375.00	
		\$ 3,500.00
Less Amount Credited to Highway Machinery		
Fund .....		354.00
		\$ 3,146.00

## Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt. ....	\$ 54.37
James Manley, Chauffeur .....	19.50
Frank Goodwin, Chauffeur .....	39.00
James Bancroft, Chauffeur .....	39.00
Homer Darby, Chauffeur .....	63.50
Charles Bowden, Chauffeur .....	40.50
Roland Robinson, Chauffeur .....	19.50
Jeremiah Houlihan, Chauffeur .....	19.50
Richard O'Neill, Chauffeur .....	19.50
Alton Parker, Chauffeur .....	69.20
Edward Penney, Chauffeur .....	63.50
William Penney, Chauffeur .....	39.00
George Gale, Chauffeur .....	39.00
Francis Brown, Chauffeur .....	39.00
Winthrop Jones, Chauffeur .....	39.00
Joseph Cislucyis, Chauffeur .....	77.20
Nelson Brown, Chauffeur .....	39.00
John Dupee, Chauffeur .....	39.00
Louis Amiot, Chauffeur .....	39.00
Arthur Sparkes, Chauffeur .....	39.00
Joseph Aubut, Chauffeur .....	39.00
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe ....	80.44
Hume Pipe of New England, Inc., pipe .....	41.60
State Prison, frames & grates .....	85.93
Daniel T. Sullivan, bricks .....	85.00
Frank Kane, mason .....	24.00
John Gerrish, mason .....	30.00
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	\$ 1,222.24
Balance carried to 1939 .....	\$ 1,923.76

## NORTH STREET

### CHAPTER 90

Appropriation .....	\$ 2,500.00
Allotment by State .....	5,000.00
Allotment by County .....	2,500.00
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	\$ 10,000.00
Less Amount Credited to Highway Machinery	
Fund .....	1,069.00
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	\$ 8,931.00

### Expenditures

Daniel Sterling Supt. ....	\$	201.56	
James Manley, chauffeur .....		143.00	
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur .....		137.25	
James Bancroft, chauffeur .....		155.00	
Charles Bowden, chauffeur .....		143.00	
Jeremiah Houlihan, laborer .....		155.00	
Roland Robinson, laborer .....		155.25	
William Penney, laborer .....		135.50	
George Gale, laborer .....		129.50	
Francis Brown, laborer .....		132.75	
Winthrop Jones, laborer .....		137.25	
Nelson Brown, laborer .....		136.25	
John Dupee, laborer .....		124.50	
Louis Amiot, laborer .....		115.00	
Arthur Sparkes, laborer .....		152.50	
Homer Darby, laborer .....		164.00	
Richard O'Neill, chauffeur .....		129.50	
Alton Parker, laborer .....		134.75	
Joseph Aubut, laborer .....		134.75	
Edward Penney, laborer .....		133.75	
Joseph Cislucyis, laborer .....		135.75	
James Ogston, laborer .....		150.00	
Ernest Treadwell, laborer .....		125.75	
New England Metal Culvert Co., pipe .....		283.30	
James Sheehan, trucking .....		138.00	
Robert Lacey, trucking .....		141.00	
Edgar Hinton, trucking .....		141.00	
Fred Garlick, trucking .....		141.00	
Ralph E. Hoare, trucking .....		7.00	
Berger Metal Culvert Co., pipe .....		83.57	
		<hr/>	\$ 4,196.43
Balance carried to 1939 .....	\$		4,734.57

### HIGHWAY EMERGENCY CHAPTER 498 ACTS 1938

Allotment by State .....	\$	1,700.00
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### Expenditures

Daniel Sterling, Supt. ....	\$	5.31
James Manley, chauffeur .....		13.50
Frank Goodwin, chauffeur .....		8.50



James Bancroft, chauffeur .....	8.50	
Charles Bowden, chauffeur .....	13.50	
Homer Darby, laborer .....	8.50	
Roland Robinson, laborer .....	8.50	
Richard O'Neill, chauffeur .....	9.00	
Jeremiah Houlihan, laborer .....	7.00	
Alton Parker, laborer .....	7.82	
Joseph Aubut, laborer .....	7.82	
Edward Penney, laborer .....	4.14	
William Penney, laborer .....	4.14	
George Gale, laborer .....	4.14	
Francis Brown, laborer .....	4.14	
Winthrop Jones, laborer .....	4.14	
Joseph Cislucis, laborer .....	4.14	
Nelson Brown, laborer .....	4.14	
The Barrett Co., tarvia .....	111.21	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., road tar...	175.78	
Joseph Halpersohn, gravel .....	27.60	
William Cuskey, gravel .....	7.20	
		\$ 448.72
Balance carried to 1939 .....		1,251.28

#### TRULL ROAD

Appropriation .....	\$ 500.00
Expenditures .....	00
Carried forward to 1939 .....	\$ 500.00

#### SCHOOLS

Appropriation .....	\$ 57,550.00
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#### Expenditures

##### Teachers

Whitman Pearson, principal .....	\$ 2,204.28
Vittoria Rosatto .....	633.32
Marion Adams .....	80.01
Mary Leahy .....	332.80
Donald Dunnan .....	1,082.28
Donald McSheehy .....	1,234.96
Francis Maria .....	1,171.32
Lawrence McGowan .....	1,202.64
Catherine Maguire .....	1,234.96
Kathryn Chandler .....	1,234.96

Majorie Scoboria .....	1,234.96
Evelyn Dutton .....	1,234.96
Agnes Phillips .....	668.50
Ethelyn Howard, principal .....	1,599.96
Doris Roberts .....	541.14
Elizabeth Flynn .....	1,200.00
Marion Piper .....	1,083.00
Mary E. Watson .....	671.36
Doris Blake .....	1,060.60
Elizabeth Hoar .....	480.00
Virginia Cunningham .....	870.64
Mildred Rollo .....	870.64
Alberta Ringer .....	823.14
Katherine Sullivan .....	636.68
Margery Shaw .....	776.17
Hazel Lambert .....	870.64
Elizabeth Reynolds .....	870.64
Eva Hersey .....	1,170.00
Bernice Lyness .....	870.64
Catherine Sampatakos .....	112.00
Winifred Colbath .....	305.64
Alice Sturtevant .....	136.00
Angelina Carabello .....	106.64
Roland Bourdon .....	376.00
Phyllis Moran .....	344.64
Dorothy Ward .....	297.64
Mary Katherina .....	266.32
Elizabeth Hill .....	313.32
Ruth Lyons .....	144.00
Mary E. Carboine .....	142.50
Thelma Greene .....	2.00
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	\$ 30,491.90

#### Fuel and Janitor

Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity .....	\$ 841.58
Jesse J. French, wood .....	6.00
William M. Horner, supplies .....	97.62
Harry Wiley, janitor .....	1,300.00
Walter Lavell, janitor .....	1,262.48
Robert Staveley, janitor .....	1,040.00
Irving Bailey, janitor .....	704.00
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas .....	88.25
A. B. Moore, supplies .....	13.34
F. J. Flemings Est., towels .....	113.95
Commonwealth of Mass., Workshop for the Blind, mops, brooms, etc. ....	13.67

Middlesex Co. House of Correction, supplies.....	1.20	
O. Melendy, flue brush .....	1.00	
State Prison, brushes .....	44.30	
Fred H. Rourke Co., coal .....	546.30	
First National Stores, Inc., supplies .....	5.92	
Osterman Coal Co., labor, stoker parts and cement .....	14.10	
Osterman Coal Co., coal .....	1,500.16	
George Garland, janitor .....	58.33	
Arthur Tremblay, supplies .....	3.12	
Whitman Pearson, paid for supplies .....	1.00	
T. B. Perrine, supplies.....	10.74	
John G. McLellan, fuel oil .....	15.00	
Mrs. Bridget Tansey, work at Foster School.....	1.25	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies .....	.33	
Canascent Co., disinfectant .....	9.00	
		<hr/> \$ 7,692.64

#### Transportation

Omer Blanchard, driving bus .....	\$ 1,930.80	
Anthony Furtado, driving bus .....	2,119.76	
Harry E. Dawson, insurance on bus .....	106.63	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., transportation of pupils .....	2,807.50	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., special bus .....	8.00	
		<hr/> \$ 6,972.69

#### Supervision

Stephen G. Bean .....	\$ 877.56
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#### Books and Supplies

Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc., books & supplies ....	\$ 522.11	
Wright & Potter Printing Co., blanks .....	2.09	
F. J. Flemings Est., supplies .....	106.76	
The Bobbs-Merrill Co., books .....	.93	
The Robertson Co. Inc., cord .....	2.40	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies .....	70.20	
Milton-Bradley Co., supplies .....	138.50	
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies .....	15.67	
Hall & McCreary Co., books .....	13.86	
Ginn & Co., books .....	184.82	
Newson & Co., books .....	13.11	

The Macmillan Co., books .....	54.41	
American Book Co., books .....	87.95	
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies .....	87.72	
Bartlett & Dow Co., hardware .....	5.11	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber .....	101.11	
World Book Co., books .....	15.24	
Scott, Foresman & Co., books .....	64.27	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing .....	2.50	
F. & E. Bailey & Co., supplies .....	54.21	
Lyons & Carnahan, books .....	7.64	
The Lincoln Stores Inc., cloth .....	1.93	
Frank J. Sherman, books .....	2.70	
The Bon Marche Co., supplies .....	6.09	
Henry S. Wolkins Co., pencils .....	21.60	
The Boston Music Co., music .....	25.57	
Mosher Music Co. Inc., music .....	6.45	
Gledhill Bros. Inc., supplies .....	669.43	
Central Scientific Co., supplies .....	68.28	
National School Record House, supplies .....	4.45	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies .....	2.80	
Wilmington Mirror, cards .....	3.25	
The Gregg Publishing Co., books .....	31.87	
The Arlo Publishing Co., books .....	24.32	
Charles Scribner's Sons, books .....	6.31	
Reformatory for Women, flags .....	8.23	
Houghton Mifflin Co., books .....	7.73	
Row, Peterson & Co., books .....	10.09	
Yale University Press Film Service, Inc., rental of film .....	20.50	
Longmans, Green & Co., Inc., books .....	14.42	
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co., supplies .....	3.15	
Silver Burdett & Co., music books .....	18.13	
Allyn & Bacon, books .....	34.46	
McGraw-Hill Book Co., books .....	3.34	
Remington Rand, Inc., cards .....	7.00	
Henry S. Wolkins Co., supplies .....	42.42	
H. J. Dowd Co., Inc., supplies .....	9.60	
D. C. Heath & Co., books .....	25.08	
The Thompson Hardware Co., tools, etc. for manual training .....	144.15	
		\$ 2,773.96

#### School Houses

Mack Courser, carpenter .....	\$ 163.30
Herman Pfeiffer, painting & setting glass .....	60.92
Russell Lumber Co., lumber & supplies .....	276.58

Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies & sharpening tools	145.88
William Collins, repairs .....	27.50
Lowell Gas Light Co., connecting range .....	4.53
Osterman Coal Co., oil, repairs to boiler and stoker .....	80.70
The Robertson Co., furnishings .....	159.68
John W. Finnerty, sanding floor .....	50.00
John Mitchell, Dura Sealing floor .....	15.00
W. J. Bolton, labor .....	13.00
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies .....	83.44
C. B. Coburn Co., glass etc. ....	12.20
Louis Marion, shingling, etc. ....	128.15
Middlesex Supply Co., pipe, etc. ....	13.71
New England Rubber Flooring Co., labor and material relaying floors .....	328.00
Derby Electric Motors Co., repairing motor .....	16.36
Franklin Sheet Metal Co., repairing gutters and chimneys .....	125.00
W. A. Mack Co., repairing furnace .....	42.90
Thompson Hardware Co., supplies .....	118.87
W. L. Farwell, labor and material .....	11.90
John R. Smith, labor and material .....	113.94
A. G. Pollard Co., varnish .....	11.00
David H. Hinkley, repairing roof .....	22.00
Anthony Cidado, labor and parts .....	4.75
North Tewksbury Garage, plumbing parts.....	2.00
Stanley Cislucyis, labor .....	5.00
Wilmington Builders' Supply Co., shingles and nails .....	6.91
Lowell Metal Ceiling Co., erecting steel ceiling	85.00
Bennett Bros., servicing water system & plumb- ing supplies .....	148.77
tank, labor and parts .....	129.69
Henry S. Wolkins Co., seats and chairs .....	71.00
	<hr/> \$ 2,477.68

#### Massachusetts School Fund

Massachusetts Board of Retirement ..... \$ 1,332.57

#### Miscellaneous

Harry Wiley Jr., climbing flagpole .....	\$ 2.00
L. C. Smith & Corona Typewriters, Inc., repairs	7.00
A. G. Pollard Co., groceries and supplies.....	23.20

Purity Spring Water, water and cups .....	172.30
New England Laundries, Inc., laundry .....	8.21
William H. Bennett, use of well at North School .....	15.00
Edith McSheehy, services in lunch room .....	380.00
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes .....	15.98
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies .....	1.00
A. B. Moore, groceries and supplies .....	44.22
Horace P. Sweet, strawberries .....	1.10
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies .....	.35
Bennett Bros., material and labor .....	10.00
Donaldson's, bulb for projector .....	5.50
The Thompson Hardware Co., hardware .....	12.30
Harry Hopkins, tuning piano .....	3.00
John L. Fleming, renewal policy on school building .....	284.22
Stephen G. Bean, transportation .....	113.86
clerical service, postage and telephone .....	37.42
F. H. Garlick, trucking .....	22.25
Maude B. Gray, magazine subscriptions .....	30.00
First National Stores, groceries and supplies.....	34.50
Boston & Maine R. R., drain pipe privileges.....	5.00
International Business Machines Corp., main- tenance of clock system .....	15.00
Anthony Cidado, labor .....	1.75
Harry Patterson, labor .....	1.75
The Trask Artesian Well Co., drilling well, pipe .....	282.00
Whitman Pearson, telephone calls .....	4.19
May L. Larrabee, telephone service .....	43.10
May L. Larrabee, certificates .....	6.25
Evelyn Dutton, material from H. L. Green Co.....	4.71
Vittoria Rosatto, ribbon and lettering diplomas..	25.87
Owen A. Gilday, repairing piano .....	10.00
Reformatory for Women, flag .....	5.60
Bartlett & Dow Co., repairs and parts for mower .....	3.18
The Bon Marche, cover .....	.29
Omer Blanchard, transportation for clinics.....	10.00
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing .....	25.00
F. & E. Bailey & Co., supplies .....	1.25
H. J. Dowd Co., display paper .....	5.40
S. S. Kresge Co., ribbon .....	1.60
Lull & Hartford Co., athletic supplies .....	108.90
Royal Typewriter Co., cleaning and adjusting typewriters .....	12.00
J. D. Wallace & Co., parts for woodworking ma- chines .....	5.32



Anderson Bros., milk .....	8.24	
Harding Typewriter Co., installing and adjusting typewriter parts.....	64.15	
The Arrow System, cleaning athletic goods .....	192.00	
A. Towle Co., express .....	.50	
Harry C. Dawson, premiums on insurance .....	624.94	
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boiler .....	5.00	
E. A. Wilson Co., lime .....	13.50	
D. N. Doucette, repairing sewing machines and parts .....	5.95	
Edith Haines, taking school census .....	35.00	
T. B. Perrine, supplies .....	17.59	
Austin F. French, educational certificates.....	1.50	
Dorothy Ackles, typing .....	13.00	
Lauchie McPhail, attendance officer .....	50.00	
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., athletic goods .....	36.50	
Edward E. Babb & Co., bleachers .....	342.00	
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., adding machine, bookkeeping machine .....	216.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,428.19

#### School Nurse

Miss Edith Haines, services .....	\$ 1,299.96
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#### Medical Inspection

Dr. H. M. Larrabee, school physician .....	\$ 200.00
Appropriation for Schools .....	\$ 57,550.00
Total expenditures .....	57,547.15
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Unexpended .....	\$ 2.85

#### VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Appropriation .....	\$ 900.00
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#### Expenditures

City of Lowell, tuition .....	\$	651.50	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., transportation of pupils .....		100.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 751.50
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Unexpended .....	\$		148.50



## PUBLIC WELFARE

Appropriation .....	\$ 12,500.00
Transferred by vote of Town September 8, 1938.....	4,000.00
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	\$ 16,500.00
Expended for Welfare .....	16,394.54
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Unexpended .....	\$ 105.46

## Aid to Dependent Children

Appropriation .....	\$ 2,500.00
Transferred by vote of Town Sept. 8, 1938 .....	1,000.00
Received from U. S. Grants .....	1,346.67
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	\$ 4,846.67
Expended for Mother's Aid .....	4,718.00
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Balance carried to 1939 .....	\$ 128.67

## Aid, State and Military

Appropriation .....	\$ 2,500.00
Expended for Aid .....	1,800.26
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Unexpended .....	\$ 699.74

## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Brought forward from 1937 .....	\$ 285.04
Appropriation .....	8,500.00
Transferred by vote of Town Sept. 8, 1938 .....	1,200.00
Received from U. S. Grants .....	8,598.53
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	\$ 18,583.57
Expended for Old Age Assistance .....	\$ 18,504.78
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Balance carried to 1939 .....	\$ 78.79

## STATIONERY AND PRINTING

Appropriation .....	\$ 1,000.00
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## Expenditures

G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies .....	35.90	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., printing and supplies ....	33.44	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps and envelopes .....	\$ 174.48	
Balfe Service Co., printing .....	52.50	
Balfe Service Co., printing town reports .....	524.80	
Loella F. Dewing, advertising .....	66.60	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing ballots etc. ....	48.00	
The Tewksbury Times, advertising .....	6.00	
American Writing Ink Co., ink .....	3.30	
George K. James, paid express .....	.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 945.52
Unexpended .....		\$ 54.48

## SALARIES

Appropriation, Town Auditor .....	\$ 500.00	
Robert E. Gay, services .....	500.00	
Appropriation, Town Treasurer .....	\$ 700.00	
Alice A. Pike, services .....	\$ 67.30	
George A. Marshall, services .....	632.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 700.00
Appropriation, Selectmen .....	\$ 800.00	
Irving F. French, services .....	\$ 300.00	
Everett H. King, services .....	250.00	
Herbert L. Trull, services .....	250.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 800.00
Appropriation, Town Clerk .....	\$ 500.00	
Harry C. Dawson, services .....	\$ 13.88	
H. Louis Farmer Jr., services .....	443.32	
	<hr/>	\$ 457.20
Unexpended .....	\$ 42.80	
Appropriation, Collector of Taxes .....	\$ 1,500.00	
Alice A. Pike, services .....	\$ 55.38	
Harry C. Dawson .....	1,319.62	
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Unexpended .....	\$ 125.00	
Appropriation, School Committee .....	\$ 225.00	
May L. Larrabee, services .....	\$ 75.00	
Austin F. French, services .....	75.00	
J. Harper Gale, services .....	75.00	
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Appropriation, Road Commissioners .....	\$	300.00
Thomas P. Sawyer, services .....	\$	100.00
Chester M. Roper, services .....		100.00
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Unexpended .....	\$	100.00
Appropriation, Board of Registrars .....	\$	150.00
Herbert A. Fairbrother, services .....	\$	37.50
George McCoy, services .....		37.50
William Bennett, services .....		37.50
H. Louis Farmer, Jr., services .....		37.50
	<hr/>	\$ 150.00
Appropriation, Election Officers .....	\$	90.00
Transferred from Reserved Fund .....		31.00
	<hr/>	\$ 121.00
Percy Haines, services .....	\$	5.00
Jeremiah Houlihan, services .....		18.00
Thomas Sullivan, services .....		18.00
Elmer Strickwald, services .....		18.00
Duncan Cameron, services .....		16.50
Wallace Farwell, services .....		18.00
Jesse French, services .....		13.00
William Smith, services .....		8.00
Annie McPhillips, services .....		6.50
	<hr/>	\$ 121.00

#### INCIDENTALS

Appropriation ..... \$ 1,000.00

#### Expenditures

James W. Bancroft, Dog Officer .....	\$	5.00
E. H. King, expenses to Selectmen's Asso. ....		6.00
expenses at hearings .....		12.00
Irving F. French, expenses to Selectmen's Asso. ....		6.00
expenses at hearings .....		12.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones .....		269.72
Omer Blanchard, transportation of 4-H children .....		5.00
Winthrop S. Jones, care of soldiers' lot 1937 and 1938 .....		34.00
Fred C. Church & Co, premium on Treasurer's Bond .....		122.50
Director of Accounts, approval of notes .....		12.00
Harry C. Dawson, recording births, deaths and marriages .....		114.75

Harry C. Dawson, services as Town Clerk to February 2, 1938 .....	28.42	
Harry C. Dawson, clerk of Board of Registrars to February 2, 1938 .....	5.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, premium on Town Clerk's bond	5.00	
A. J. Fairgrieve, rent of P. O. boxes .....	1.85	
Appleton National Bank, rent of safe deposit box	5.50	
Charles D. Phillips, Fish & Game Warden.....	100.00	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., check register .....	2.90	
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., service agree- ment .....	5.00	
George A. Marshall, refund for telephone bills ....	6.75	
Allen Bros. Corp., repairing town seal .....	3.41	
Middlesex Co. Selectmen's Asso., dues for se- lectmen .....	6.00	
A. A. Smith & Co., balance on typewriter .....	17.50	
W. J. Robinson, labor and material repairing scales .....	6.68	
F. H. Garlick, filling in cellar hole .....	7.50	
H. Louis Farmer Jr., acknowledging Treasurer's deeds .....	5.00	
H. Louis Farmer Jr., expenses at Town Clerk's meeting .....	4.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp., care of Town lot & tomb .....	10.00	
Wm. Pringle, care of soldiers' graves and labor at South Cemetery .....	38.00	
Wm. Pringle, care of Old Cemetery .....	5.00	
Rogers & Sherburne, legal services .....	43.00	
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	\$	905.48
Unexpended .....	\$	94.52

#### BOARD OF HEALTH

Appropriation .....	\$	1,200.00
Transferred from Reserved Fund .....		250.00
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	\$	1,450.00

#### Expenditures

Commonwealth of Mass., State Infirmary, care of T. B. cases .....	\$	302.00
Dr. John P. Mahoney, Dentist in school clinic ....		225.00
Dr. E. C. MacDougall, rabies vaccine .....		27.00

McGregar Instrument Co., syringe .....	4.50	
Middlesex Co. Sanatorium, care of town cases ....	474.00	
F. & E. Bailey & Co., medical supplies .....	8.67	
Dr. H. M. Larrabee, professional services .....	396.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms .....	1.50	
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		\$ 1,438.67
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Unexpended .....		\$ 11.33

### MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation .....	\$ 300.00
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#### Expenditures

Royal Hayes, orator .....	\$ 15.00	
H. M. Wright, expenses of committees .....	8.00	
Regan Military Band, music .....	92.00	
Edgar Hinton, use of truck .....	5.00	
Mrs. H. Dawson, accompanist .....	3.00	
Mrs. W. Farwell, soloist .....	15.00	
J. H. Broadbent, printing programs .....	3.00	
Winthrop Jones, flags .....	36.00	
H. J. Patten, wreath .....	10.00	
F. I. Carter & Sons, flowers .....	5.00	
Ladies' Aid Society, dinners .....	106.00	
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		\$ 298.00
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Unexpended .....		\$ 2.00

### STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation .....	\$ 5,600.00
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#### Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., street lights .....	5,507.62	
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Unexpended .....		\$ 92.38

### LIBRARY

Appropriation .....	\$ 1,250.00
Dog License .....	535.97
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	\$ 1,785.97

### Expenditures

DeWolfe & Fiske Co., books .....	\$	726.72
Louis M. Marion, carpenter .....		137.25
Arthur Tremblay, supplies .....		33.75
Anthony Cidado, wiring and material .....		13.18
Herman Pfeiffer, painting .....		46.50
Abbie M. Blaisdell, librarian .....		220.00
Abbie M. Blaisdell, box rent .....		1.80
Winifred G. Colbath, services .....		20.00
Russell Lumber Co., lumber .....		149.50
Wadsworth Howland Co., paint, etc. ....		18.25
Gaylord Bros., Inc., supplies .....		14.50
Dorothy Fitzgerald, expenses in Boston .....		3.00
Blanche King, asst. librarian .....		125.00
Delbert Nash, asst. librarian .....		67.50
Maude B. Gray, magazine subscriptions .....		50.00
Ruth W. Smith, trips to Boston .....		27.00
Carlton L. Dickey, boxes for transporting books .....		9.00
Jean Karr, books .....		35.52
Edgar Smith, transporting books .....		87.50
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	\$	1,785.97

### TOWN HALL

Appropriation .....	\$	4,300.00
Transferred from Reserved Fund .....		332.73
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	\$	4,632.73

### Expenditures

John R. Smith, labor & material, painting Legion Hall .....	\$	75.25
George K. James, janitor .....		1,248.00
George K. James, paid for supplies .....		2.35
Lowell Gas Light Co., gas and heater .....		144.08
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber .....		30.57
C. B. Dolge Co., supplies .....		44.60
Osterman Coal Co., cement .....		4.10
A. G. Pollard Co., supplies .....		43.61
Joseph A. Lorrain, electrical work at Legion Hall .....		176.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones .....		158.33
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity .....		512.27
The Robertson Co. Inc., rubber matting .....		9.33
A. F. French & Co., paper .....		35.08
C. B. Coburn Co., paint and supplies .....		71.80



Wm. M. Horner, supplies .....	5.25
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies .....	56.78
American Check Writer Co., check writer .....	52.50
Stanley Alex, services as janitor .....	10.00
E. A. Wilson Co., cement and coal .....	302.15
Daniel Sullivan, coal .....	114.70
Lull & Hartford, changing combination & keys ..	6.20
John L. Flemings, renewal policies .....	790.62
State Prison, floor brushes .....	11.92
Howard Clock Products, Inc., labor on clock ....	35.00
A. B. Moore, supplies .....	10.94
The Bon Marche Co., Hoover cleaner .....	96.00
Goodco Sanitary Products, supplies .....	18.00
Arthur Tremblay, hardware .....	1.12
Fred C. Church & Co., premium on insurance ....	112.50
F. W. Woolworth Co., supplies .....	10.80
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., blotters .....	1.50
Royt Sanitary Products, drain solvent .....	4.80
Bartlett & Dow Co., lawn mower and parts .....	10.10
T. B. Perrine, supplies .....	3.03
Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection of boilers .....	10.00
Franklin Sheet Metal Co., painting and repairs to roof .....	88.00
T. F. Sullivan, labor and material .....	7.50
Douglas & Co., slates for roof .....	2.50
North Tewksbury Garage, labor on mower .....	1.85
A. J. Fairgrieve, insurance policy .....	287.50
Anthony Cidado, labor and material .....	2.00
Treat Hardware Corp., electrical supplies.....	24.10
	<hr/> \$ 4,632.73

#### GENERAL

Second National Bank, paid notes Nos. 205, 206 \$	35,000.00
Middlesex Co. Treasurer, T. B. District Tax.....	1,112.70
Hospital addition .....	1,697.63
Dog Licenses .....	642.20
County Tax .....	7,095.53
Merchants National Bank, paid notes Nos. 215, 216 .....	35,000.00
Commonwealth of Mass., State Tax .....	11,900.00
Auditing Municipal Accounts .....	2,258.52
State Parks and Reservations .....	204.46
First National Bank, paid notes Nos. 209, 210, 211, 212 .....	50,000.00
	<hr/> \$144,911.04



## MOTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation ..... \$ 1,000.00

### Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, labor .....	\$ 796.80	
Harris M. Briggs, registering sprayer .....	2.00	
Harris M. Briggs, paid express .....	.55	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline and oil .....	2.25	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity .....	6.00	
Harris M. Briggs, Jr., labor .....	56.00	
Elmer Olson, soldering tank .....	1.00	
F. B. Hill Co., repairing sprayer wheel .....	6.00	
The Fairgrieve Belting Co., leather .....	2.00	
A. B. Moore, gasoline and supplies .....	8.86	
Wilbur K. Foss, lettering truck .....	4.00	
Eugene Boucher, labor .....	1.00	
Fitzhenry-Guptell Co., repairs on power sprayer .....	13.08	
Middlesex Machine Co., valves, etc. ....	4.05	
Scannell Boiler Works, steel .....	2.15	
Wilbur Calkins, labor .....	5.00	
Julius Chase, labor .....	5.00	
Converse Parker, labor .....	5.00	
Napoleon Boucher, labor .....	5.00	
Acme Rubber Mfg Co., hose .....	26.70	
Bennett Bros., sprayer fittings .....	2.12	
Frost Insecticide Co., sprayer fittings .....	5.17	
Bartlett & Dow Co., supplies .....	24.03	
F. I. Carter & Sons, lumber .....	1.50	
Louis Brazee, labor .....	10.00	
Samuel Feinstein, transporting tools .....	2.00	
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		\$ 997.26
Unexpended .....	\$	2.74

## TREE WARDEN

Appropriation ..... \$ 1,200.00

### Expenditures

Harris M. Briggs, labor .....	\$ 649.50
Harris M. Briggs, paid express .....	.47
Bartlett & Dow Co., tools and supplies .....	31.39
Wm. H. Dewing, filing saws .....	4.80
Loella Dewing, advertising .....	2.50

Osterman Coal Co., cement .....	1.30	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber .....	5.89	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity .....	.75	
J. H. Broadbent & Son, notices .....	4.00	
Lucas Kil-Tone Co., arsenate of lead .....	100.00	
Fred H. Garlick, trucking .....	1.00	
Forrest Foster, labor .....	114.00	
John Dupee, labor .....	142.00	
R. F. Carson, single horse mower .....	10.00	
North Tewksbury Garage, iron and labor .....	3.56	
Middlesex Supply Co., arsenate of lead .....	12.00	
Thomas P. Sawyer, use of horse .....	30.00	
Napoleon Boucher, sharpening saws .....	.75	
G. R. Myers Co., irons and rods .....	3.75	
T. B. Perrine, supplies .....	1.00	
Willard R. Gillette, spraying ivy .....	5.00	
A. B. Moore, supplies .....	1.18	
George Blair, labor .....	2.00	
Louis Brazee, labor .....	6.00	
Albert Bancroft, labor .....	2.00	
Donovan's, straps .....	6.25	
Harry C. Curtis, labor .....	38.00	
Harris M. Briggs, Jr., labor .....	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,187.09
Unexpended .....		<hr/> \$ 12.91

### INTEREST

Appropriation .....	\$ 750.00
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### Expenditures

Merchants National Bank, interest on notes No.		
213, 214, 215, 216, 217 discounted .....	\$ 319.83	
National Shawmut Bank, interest on note No.		
218 discounted .....	14.26	
	<hr/>	\$ 334.14
		<hr/> \$ 415.86

### POLICE AND EQUIPMENT

Appropriation .....	\$ 6,000.00
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## Expenditures

Cyril L. Barker, chief .....	\$ 2,055.00
Chester E. Burgess, services .....	1,456.00
Daniel Sterling, services .....	240.25
C. Abbott Battles, services .....	144.00
Ross E. Sargent, services .....	155.50
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps .....	12.00
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., gasoline and oil.....	324.89
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones .....	167.02
Lauchie McPhail, services .....	183.75
Billerica Motor Sales Co., labor and supplies .....	76.30
Billerica Motor Sales Co., exchange of Ford car..	263.50
City of Lowell, use of Jail .....	45.50
City of Lowell, ambulance service .....	20.00
The Robertson Co., Inc., filing cabinets .....	15.60
Golen's Garage, supplies and repairs .....	3.60
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and material....	4.00
Myers Auto Supply Co., parts .....	34.80
Secretary of Commonwealth, photo static copy....	1.40
S. M. Spencer Mfg Co., badges .....	10.58
John J. Sweeney, transporting prisoners .....	5.00
Commonwealth of Mass., general Laws of Mass.	20.00
Albert H. Evans, labor on radio set in cruiser....	5.20
E. Stuart Davis, installing car receiver .....	5.00
The Fyr-Fyter Co., fire extinguisher .....	9.40
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline .....	2.98
Graybar Electric Co., installing two-way radio in police car and parts .....	542.01
Freddie's General Store, gasoline .....	2.56
Harold A. Morrison, repairing car radio .....	5.00
Fred W. Yelland, kit and searchlight .....	25.50
Fred Vinecour, gasoline .....	5.66
Gorham Fire Equipment Co., lens and battery.....	2.88
Wilbur K. Foss, lettering stop sign glass.....	1.50
Cote Electric Co., repairs to cruiser .....	4.00
J. R. Raney, gasoline .....	.83
Isidore J. Trudel, transporting prisoners .....	17.00
James H. Burns, services .....	23.65
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing letterheads and envelopes .....	6.00
G. C. Prince & Son, supplies .....	1.60
Commonwealth Traffic Co., painting lines and signs .....	45.00
E. G. Hinton, gasoline .....	3.90
Belmont Supply Co., whistles and chains .....	3.80
Royt Sanitary Products, iron claws and cases.....	41.40

Lull & Hartford, rod .....	.73	
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registration of car..	2.00	
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		\$ 5,996.29
Unexpended .....		<hr/>
		\$ 3.71

## PARKS AND COMMONS

Appropriation ..... \$ 200.00

### Expenditures

George Brabant, dressing .....	\$ 8.00	
George Mercier, labor .....	20.50	
Bartlett & Dow Co., rakes .....	3.00	
George A. Jackson, sharpening lawn mowers ....	1.50	
Harris M. Briggs, care of common .....	60.00	
Harris M. Briggs, care of flag .....	25.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity for band-stand .....	15.75	
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		\$ 133.75
Unexpended .....		<hr/>
		\$ 66.25

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation ..... \$ 5,000.00

### Expenditures

A. S. Haines, chief .....	\$ 1,820.00	
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity .....	6.50	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones .....	179.40	
Osterman Coal Co., coal .....	12.50	
Middlesex Supply Co., supplies .....	7.55	
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies .....	12.90	
E. A. Wilson Co., fuel oil .....	167.62	
Alexander Suprenant, care of fire house .....	16.00	
Alexander Suprenant, gasoline and labor .....	7.60	
O. O. Ordway, ladder clamps .....	10.00	
North Tewksbury Garage labor and parts .....	229.10	
North Tewksbury Garage, storage .....	70.00	
American Fire Equipment Co., supplies .....	229.51	
Pratt & Forrest Co., door and lumber .....	34.44	
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline, grease & oil .....	5.55	
Leo M. Bonugli, rent of fire garage .....	90.00	

Lowell Gas Light Co., gas .....	8.98
Wishing Moon Service Station, gasoline & oil ..	7.11
Wishing Moon Service Station, care of fire house	8.00
Wm. P. Proctor Co., lumber .....	.80
Acme Welding Works, pulley .....	.90
Wilbur K. Foss, lettering signs .....	2.00
Donovan's Harness Co., supplies and repairs ....	12.38
Cover & Palm Co., lawn seed .....	5.40
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies .....	5.30
Charles W. Knox & Son, renewal of accident policy .....	187.50
Wallace Farwell, labor .....	2.00
Charles Bowden, labor .....	7.00
Arthur Tremblay, lunches, gasoline and oil .....	124.44
Packard Motor Car Co., Pierce-Arrow sedan for fire truck .....	175.00
Edgar Hinton, lunches and supplies.....	14.60
Town of Wilmington, rental of hydrants .....	120.00
Bill's City Service Station, grease .....	2.00
Mrs. L. T. Chandler, evergreen trees .....	3.00
The Thompson Hardware Co., paint .....	1.45
Scannell Boiler Works, iron and material for truck body .....	49.20
Rusty's City Service Station, labor and supplies..	4.73
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., iron .....	17.22
Thomas F. Sullivan, material and labor .....	8.50
James D. A. McCready, striping and lettering fire engine .....	26.80
Carpenter Manufacturing Co., lights .....	28.00

#### Labor at Fires

George James .....	\$	94.25
John Smith .....		39.50
Anthony Cidado .....		62.50
Andrew Kohanski .....		82.25
Leonard Gath .....		65.50
Harry Patterson .....		79.50
Thomas Sullivan .....		68.00
Fred Carter .....		27.25
Wallace Farwell .....		24.00
William Millett .....		73.50
Everett Haines .....		75.00
John Carter .....		29.25
Harry Gleason .....		51.25
Victor Lundquist .....		41.75

Alexander Supernault .....	39.50	
William Shanley .....	40.75	
Daniel Sterling .....	2.00	
William Bailey .....	29.25	
Frank Corr .....	21.25	
Albert Bancroft .....	37.00	
Charles Bowden .....	46.75	
James Bancroft .....	25.75	
Fred King .....	10.25	
Harold Mills .....	21.75	
Omer Blanchard .....	17.75	
Edward Hoyt .....	18.00	
Walter Kohanski .....	14.50	
Walter Roberts .....	6.50	
Edgar Hinton .....	7.75	
Moses Webster .....	1.75	
Edward Bowley .....	1.25	
John Bowley .....	1.25	
Richard MacKay .....	1.00	
John Coffey .....	1.00	
John Smith, Jr. ....	1.00	
Alfred Heald .....	1.00	
Max Newcity .....	2.00	
John Peatman .....	1.00	
Gerald Finlayson .....	1.00	
Vernon Darby .....	1.00	
Floyd Darby .....	\$ 1.00	
George Gray .....	1.00	
William Gray .....	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,889.48
Unexpended .....	\$	110.52

#### ASSESSORS

Appropriation .....	\$ 2,300.00
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#### Expenditures

Wilbur K. Foss, services .....	\$ 814.00
use of automobile .....	3.50
expenses at Assessors' meeting .....	5.00
expenses at Probate Court .....	6.10
abstracts and cards .....	81.25
Buzzell King, services .....	833.00
Albion Felker, services .....	196.00

Albion Felker, use of automobile .....	95.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., printing .....	44.32	
George R. Barnstead, excise cards .....	1.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones .....	33.55	
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., cabinet and supplies ....	15.69	
Russell Lumber Co., lumber .....	7.05	
Spaulding Moss Co., supplies .....	50.66	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps .....	3.00	
Percy L. Haines, services .....	91.00	
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		\$ 2,280.12
Unexpended .....		<hr/>
		\$ 19.88

#### BOARD OF REGISTRARS EXPENSES

Transferred from Reserved Fund .....	\$	150.00
<b>Expenditures</b>		
J. H. Broadbent & Son, letterheads .....	\$	2.25
Thomas Groom & Co., Inc., supplies .....		69.15
G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., supplies and rental of typewriter .....		35.34
The Lowell Sun, advertising .....		2.00
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	\$	108.74
Unexpended .....	\$	<hr/>
		41.26

#### INSPECTION OF MEAT AND ANIMALS

Appropriation .....	\$	600.00
<b>Expenditures</b>		
A. H. Jewell, inspection of meat & animals .....	\$	600.00

#### COLLECTION OF TAXES

Appropriation .....	\$	1,200.00
<b>Expenditures</b>		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies .....	\$	27.63
Alice A. Pike, collector, commission on taxes ....		93.85
M. A. Lucia, stamps .....		3.00
J. H. Broadbent & Son, printing .....		32.25



Philip B. Carter, Mass. Bonding Co., premium on collector's bond .....	230.00		
Philip B. Carter, premium on deputy collector's bond .....	10.00		
A. J. Fairgrieve, envelopes and stamps .....	264.50		
A. J. Fairgrieve, P. O. box rent .....	1.35		
Loella F. Dewing, advertising .....	56.69		
A. W. LaFord & Co., tax bills .....	43.10		
Utility Supply Co., supplies .....	30.03		
The Mosler Safe Co., safe .....	34.00		
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones .....	36.08		
Donaldson's, rubber stamp and supplies .....	1.62		
Picken Printing Co., notices .....	9.00		
H. Louis Farmer Jr., acknowledging deeds .....	14.25		
Harry C. Dawson, paid for recording deeds at Middlesex No. District Registry .....	59.95		
		—————	\$ 947.80
			\$ 252.70

#### W. P. A. FUND

Brought Forward from 1937 .....	\$ 250.00	
Appropriation .....	15,000.00	
Transferred Sept. 8, 1938 .....	3,000.00	
Transferred Nov. 30, 1938 from Reserved Fund .....	500.00	
Transferred Jan. 2, 1939 from Reserved Fund ....	236.27	
	—————	\$ 18,986.27

#### Expenditures

Ralph H. Whitehead, services .....	\$ 80.00
Ralph H. Whitehead, trip to Boston .....	3.00
Wilmington Coal Co., coal .....	261.50
Standard Oil of New York, gasoline and oil ....	115.09
C. B. Coburn Co., supplies .....	61.87
E. G. Hinton, trucking .....	55.00
Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity .....	74.24
Middlesex Supply Co., tools and supplies .....	1,465.11
Mrs. Margaret Livingston, pattern .....	.25
Harry Sawyer, transportation .....	44.00
Bartlett & Dow Co., hardware supplies .....	326.19
Fred Garlick, trucking .....	684.66
John R. Craig, trucking .....	82.50
United States Treasurer, administration expenses and material .....	852.21
E. H. King, Sponsor's Agent .....	950.00
E. H. King, replacing registration plate .....	1.00

E. H. King, expenses to Boston .....	45.00
Dorothy E. Ackles, clerk .....	320.00
Lowell Iron & Steel Co., supplies and repairs ....	2,000.77
Osterman Coal Co., cement .....	1,436.74
G. C. Prince & Son, supplies .....	89.94
Koplow Trimming Co. Inc., sewing supplies .....	125.03
F. J. Flemings Est., bags and dishes .....	40.60
Donohoe Tire Co., tires, cases and tubes .....	105.58
J. T. Williamson, repairing picks, drills etc. ....	21.25
James D. Sheehan, trucking .....	10.00
Davis & Sargent Lumber Co., lumber, etc. ....	1,675.68
George Brabant, trucking .....	79.25
George Brabant, wood and oil .....	20.00
Ernest Treadwell, repairing trucks .....	127.25
Daniel T. Sullivan, pipe .....	38.00
Colonial Beacon Oil Co., tires and tubes .....	146.34
Golen's Garage, labor and parts .....	316.11
C. B. Dolge Co., disinfectant .....	2.69
F. & E. Bailey & Co., First Aid supplies .....	6.74
Frost Insecticide Co., pruners, poles, etc. ....	21.40
Hedge & Mattheis Co., rental of power machinery .....	460.31
Boston & Maine R. R., freight .....	142.50
E. A. Wilson Co., cement .....	241.65
Carson's Express, express .....	.50
Anthony Cidado, labor and material .....	38.50
Arthur Dube, erecting and taking down cement tower .....	250.00
William R. Carey, use of equipment & trucking ..	1,176.50
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber .....	188.75
H. T. Frost, creosote .....	14.58
Lowell Fertilizer Co., fertilizer .....	77.93
Malden Crushed Stone Co., stone .....	15.00
Louis M. Marion, labor and material .....	13.00
Louis M. Marion, use of cement mixer .....	12.00
Specialty Engineering Co., rental of surveying instruments .....	122.00
A. B. Moore, supplies .....	54.77
John Brady, gravel, sand and brick .....	733.24
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and parts .....	13.80
Lawrence Plate & Window Glass Co., glass and putty .....	50.05
Bulley's Filling Station, gasoline .....	67.26
Singer Sewing Machine Co., parts .....	6.53
Arthur Tremblay, gasoline and hardware .....	56.92
The Chain Link Fence Co., fence material .....	1,017.62

Charles Bowden, trucking .....	7.00	
John A. Simpson & Son, lumber .....	131.58	
The Phaneuf Press, printing .....	135.60	
Warren's Express, trucking .....	2.00	
Lucas Kil-Tone Co., arsenate of lead .....	224.09	
Treat Hardware Co., expansion joints .....	20.70	
James Manley, trucking .....	1.75	
The Thompson Hardware Co., hardware supplies	59.19	
North Tewksbury Garage, labor and material ....	18.75	
Arvin G. Duval, use of car on Police Records		
Project .....	55.86	
Y. D. Battery Service, battery .....	4.00	
E. S. Williams, septic tank .....	35.00	
John Garby, supervision at High School field ....	159.66	
Winchester Brick Co., brick .....	208.00	
T. B. Perrine, supplies .....	7.87	
A. J. Fairgrieve, stamps .....	.50	
Walter Roberts, trucking and labor .....	16.00	
Scannell Boiler Works, irons .....	1.45	
George E. Putnam & Son Co., storage of fish ....	2.10	
A. A. Smith & Co., rental of typewriter .....	15.00	
James Slater, labor .....	73.40	
Alfred Lawler, labor .....	82.40	
Frank Bargardo, labor .....	2.00	
Clarence LaDuke, labor .....	3.50	
D. M. Laffin, sharpening picks etc. ....	17.80	
Acme Welding Works, welding .....	9.25	
Francis Emmons, trips to Lowell Court .....	27.44	
Francis L. Kane, labor .....	48.00	
J. R. Smith, labor .....	14.00	
George Hill, labor .....	4.00	
Louis Brazee, labor .....	4.00	
George Mercier, labor .....	4.00	
William Shanley, labor .....	10.75	
Albert Bancroft, labor .....	15.25	
Boston Drinking Cup Co., cups .....	6.25	
Thomas F. Sullivan, labor .....	96.00	
W. L. Farwell, labor .....	8.25	
Hobson & Lawler, installing boilers, heaters, etc.	800.00	
John Rutkowski, labor .....	2.50	
Registry of Motor Vehicles, registering trucks ..	6.00	
Robinson Foundry Co., catch basins .....	75.00	
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., sewer pipe ..	129.90	
		\$ 18,984.24
Balance carried to 1939 .....	\$	2.03

## MUNICIPAL INSURANCE FUND

Appropriation .....	\$ 1,500.00
Deposited in the Merrimack River Savings Bank \$	500.00
Deposited in the Mechanics Savings Bank .....	1,000.00
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	\$ 1,500.00

## HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING LOAN

Appropriation .....	\$ 3,300.62
Available in Town Treasury .....	3,033.13
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	\$ 6,333.75
Merchants National Bank, paid note No. 188 ... \$	1,000.00
interest .....	715.00
Paid notes Nos. 133, 134, 135, 136 .....	4,000.00
interest .....	618.75
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	\$ 6,333.75

## MOTOR EXCISE REFUND

Herman Bischoff .....	\$ 1.56
John C. Stokes .....	1.63
Roscoe Winters .....	1.82
Edwin W. Osterman .....	.46
William E. Boyden .....	2.00
Ursula Horgan .....	2.00
Elmer Olson .....	4.30
John E. Barry .....	2.49
Albert Gillissen .....	2.00
Dorothy Finneran .....	3.01
George Hazel .....	2.85
John E. Barry .....	5.03
Charles S. Brewer .....	.20
Harry F. Betts .....	3.88
Lester W. Bell .....	3.98
William F. Gallagher .....	1.16
Joseph S. Dumoski .....	3.97
Joseph H. Seamans .....	.46
C. Brook Stevens .....	2.61
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	\$ 45.46

## MAINTENANCE OF LEGION HALL

Appropriation .....	\$ 125.00
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## Expenditures

Lowell Electric Light Corp., electricity .....	63.28
Unexpended .....	\$ 61.72

## REAL ESTATE REFUND

Joseph Boogusch, refund .....	\$ .41
Krikor Baltarian, refund .....	2.51
Harry Bain, refund .....	17.76
Philip Firestein, refund .....	2.96
Joseph Golin, refund .....	7.96
Marion E. Silver, refund .....	.24
Alonzo G. Lang, refund .....	2.00
A. W. Livingston, refund .....	3.33
John J. O'Donnell, refund .....	6.66
A. C. & Lizzie Tingley, refund .....	.30
Catherine Lyons, refund .....	8.83
George J. Ahern, poll tax refund .....	2.00
Albion Felker, poll tax refund .....	2.00
Malcolm Patrick, poll tax refund .....	2.00
Amedie J. Mercier, poll tax refund .....	1.00
Blanche B. Ames, refund .....	153.92
	\$ 213.88

## COMMITTEE ON TELEPHONE RATES

Brought forward from 1937 .....	\$ 78.50
William B. Carter, expenses in Boston and toll calls .....	\$ 15.60
subscription to Legislative Bulletin .....	2.00
H. F. Smith, expenses in Boston .....	4.85
	\$ 22.45
Unexpended .....	\$ 56.05

## TAX TITLE FORECLOSURE ACCOUNT

Appropriation .....	\$ 400.00
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## Expenditures

Land Court in Boston, refund on foreclosure .....	\$ 8.90
entering tax titles .....	152.00
advertising .....	20.00
Middlesex Registry of Deeds, recording petitions .....	9.60

Alice A. Pike, recording titles and expenses to			
Boston .....	86.00		
		\$	276.50
Unexpended .....		\$	123.50

#### DOG OFFICER ACCOUNT

Appropriation .....	\$	100.00
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#### Expenditures

Lowell Humane Society, destroying stray dogs \$	11.00		
James Bancroft, services .....	66.25		
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones .....	17.97		
		\$	95.22
Unexpended .....		\$	4.78

#### REMODELING LEGION HALL

Appropriation .....	\$	350.00
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#### Expenditures

John R. Smith, labor and material .....	\$	170.76	
Pratt & Forrest Co., lumber .....	165.08		
Middlesex Supply Co., paint and supplies .....	14.16		
		\$	350.00

#### SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation .....	\$	225.00
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#### Expenditures

Hobbs & Warren Inc., supplies .....	\$	16.45	
D. J. Cameron, services .....	200.00		
W. & L. E. Gurley, supplies .....	4.55		
		\$	221.00
Unexpended .....		\$	4.00

#### CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

#### Receipts

City Institution for Savings, interest from			
Martha Shedd Fund .....	\$	6.00	

Peter Clark Fund .....	5.00	
Central Savings Bank, interest from Ebenezer		
Page Fund .....	5.00	
William Prindle Fund .....	2.00	
Samuel Jaques Fund .....	2.75	
Jeremiah Kittredge Fund .....	2.75	
Thomas Bridge Fund .....	2.75	
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### Expenditures

William Pringle, care of the Martha Shedd lot ....	\$ 6.00	
William Pringle, care of the Peter Clark lot .....	5.00	
William Pringle, care of the Ebenezer Page lot ..	5.00	
William Pringle, care of the Wm. Prindle lot .....	2.00	
Tewksbury Cemetery Corp.:		
Care of the Samuel Jaques lot .....	2.75	
Care of the Jeremiah Kittredge lot .....	2.75	
Care of the Thomas Bridge lot .....	2.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 26.25

### SUMMARY

Highways .....	\$ 22,199.85
Highway Machinery Fund .....	5,598.82
Chapter 90, Maintenance of Highways .....	6,240.50
Hurricane, Chapter 500 .....	2,131.83
Pleasant Street Chapter 90 .....	1,222.24
North Street, Chapter 90 .....	4,196.43
Highway Emergency, Chapter 498, Acts 1938 .....	448.72
Trull Road .....	000.00
Schools .....	57,547.15
Vocational Schools .....	751.50
Public Welfare .....	16,394.54
Aid to Dependent Children .....	4,718.00
Aid, State and Military .....	1,800.26
Old Age Assistance .....	18,504.78
Stationery and Printing .....	945.52
Salaries:	
Town Auditor .....	500.00
Town Treasurer .....	700.00
Selectmen .....	800.00
Town Clerk .....	457.20
Collector of Taxes .....	1,375.00
School Committee .....	225.00



Road Commissioners .....	200.00
Board of Registrars .....	150.00
Election of Officers .....	121.00
Incidentals .....	905.48
Board of Health .....	1,438.67
Memorial Day .....	298.00
Street Lighting .....	5,507.62
Library .....	1,785.97
Town Hall .....	4,632.73
General .....	144,911.04
Moth Department .....	997.26
Tree Warden .....	1,187.09
Interest .....	334.14
Police and Equipment .....	5,996.29
Parks and Commons .....	133.75
Fire Department .....	4,889.48
Assessors .....	2,280.12
Board of Registrars Expenses .....	108.74
Inspection of Meat and Animals .....	600.00
Collection of Taxes .....	947.30
W. P. A. Fund .....	18,984.24
Municipal Insurance Fund .....	1,500.00
High School Building Loan .....	6,333.75
Motor Excise Refund .....	45.46
Maintenance of Legion Hall .....	63.28
Real Estate Refund .....	213.88
Committee on Telephone Rates .....	22.45
Tax Title Foreclosure Account .....	276.50
Dog Officer Account .....	95.22
Remodeling Legion Hall .....	350.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	221.00
Cemetery Trust Funds .....	26.25

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Total Expenditures .....	\$352,314.05
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Cash on hand .....	\$ 43.68
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Cash in bank .....	40,919.32
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	\$ 40,963.00
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	\$393,277.05
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Treasurer's receipts .....	\$393,277.05
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## RESERVED FUND ACCOUNT

Appropriation .....	\$ 1,500.00
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### Transfers

Board of Registrars .....	\$	150.00	
W. P. A. Account .....		736.27	
Board of Health .....		250.00	
Town Hall .....		332.73	
Salaries, Election Officers .....		31.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,500.00

### TRUST FUNDS

Condition of funds, December 31, 1938.:

Foster School Fund .....	\$	1,108.77
Municipal Building Insurance Fund .....		13,060.55
Peter Clark Cemetery Fund .....		104.36
Martha Shedd Cemetery Fund .....		637.70
Ebenezer Page Cemetery Fund .....		395.21
William Prindle Cemetery Fund .....		100.68
Jeremiah Kittredge Cemetery Fund .....		122.89
Samuel Jacques Cemetery Fund .....		122.88
Louisa Bridges Cemetery Fund .....		168.55

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of all Town Officials who were authorized to receive and expend money, for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1938, and to the best of my knowledge they are correct, with proper vouchers on file, and \$40,963.00 in the Treasury.

ROBERT E. GAY

Town Auditor.

Personally appeared before me on this 20th Day of January, 1939, Robert E. Gay, Town Auditor, and made oath that the foregoing statements are correct.

THOMAS F. FLYNN

Justice of the Peace.

## TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

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Committee on

### AUTO INSURANCE RATES—FIRE INSURANCE RATES TELEPHONE RATES

To the Voters of the Town of Tewksbury:

We are pleased to be able to report that our efforts to have the Telephone Rate situation improved was successful. While we did not get all we asked for we did succeed in having the monthly charges lowered for many of our Townspeople. Following is the report and decision that we received from the Department of Public Utilities.

February 4, 1938.

(D.P.U. 5318)

Petition of Town Committee of the Town of Tewksbury et al relative to telephone rates and charges of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

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This petition, filed by more than twenty customers of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company residing in the town of Tewksbury and by the Town Committee of said town, complains of the mileage charges and toll charges applicable to the telephone customers having stations in the town of Tewksbury. This is the second case heard by the Department in the matter of the telephone charges of Tewksbury residents, the first case having been disposed of January 15, 1936 (D.P.U. 4987). Four public hearings have been held in this second case, and our engineering division has made a valuation of the property of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company in the town of Tewksbury served by the Lowell exchange outside the base rate area as of May 1, 1937.

The telephone exchange situated in the city of Lowell furnishes service to the city of Lowell and parts of the towns of Chelmsford,

Dracut and Tewksbury. The territory served by this exchange is called the base rate area. The town of Tewksbury does not have a separate exchange, but the greater portion of the town is served by the Lowell exchange. The territory of Tewksbury lying outside the base rate area as far as the Shawsheen River, and served by the Lowell exchange, is divided into bands one-quarter mile wide. The part of Tewksbury lying southeast of the Shawsheen River and adjacent to Wilmington is included in the Wilmington exchange. The first band of the Tewksbury territory is adjacent to the Lowell base rate area, and the fourteenth band abuts the Wilmington exchange territory and is furthest from the city limits of Lowell.

Before 1925 these bands, by which the mileage charges of the telephone company are computed, were concentric, but it appeared reasonable at about this time that the base rate area of an exchange should be made irregular when the territory adjacent to this base rate area was filled in and the number of subscribers materially increased. In accordance with this practice of the telephone company the Lowell exchange, therefore, serves parts of the towns of Tewksbury, Dracut and Chelmsford, and the subscribers living in these towns do not pay a mileage charge providing they are included within the irregular base rate area. The company furnishes Tewksbury subscribers in the Lowell exchange with 1-party, 2-party or 4-party lines, for which the base rate is charged, and for those subscribers living outside the base rate area in addition to the base rate charge a mileage charge is made for each one-quarter mile, as follows:

	Per $\frac{1}{4}$ mile or fraction
1-Party Line. Auxiliary Line, Private Branch Exchange or Order Turret .....	.70
2-Party Line, each main station .....	.40
4-Party Line, each main station .....	.20

There is also a rural line (15 or more party) about which there was no complaint as no mileage charge is made for this service.

The telephone company was willing to set up in the town of Tewksbury a separate exchange which would give service to all subscribers within the town of Tewksbury, and a toll charge would be made for these subscribers calling stations in the Lowell exchange territory. It appeared at the hearings that this plan was unanimously disapproved, because, generally speaking, Tewksbury people do most of their business in the city of Lowell and there appeared to be no sentiment in having a separate exchange in Tewksbury with a toll charge for calls to the city of Lowell.

The complaint about the present toll charges to adjoining towns was that the charge should be 5 cents and not 10 cents. It appeared that all calls made to adjoining towns were put through the Lowell exchange and, although the two stations might be near each other by air line, the message actually was transmitted into and out of the exchange in the city of Lowell. Under these circumstances it seems reasonable that the charge for this operation should be 10 cents.

On January 15, 1936, in accordance with the views of this Department, the company extended or pushed the base rate area for the Lowell exchange one mile into the town of Tewksbury. Before this time all Tewksbury party-line subscribers paid mileage charges. There was no evidence at the hearings in the present case that a periodic survey was made by the company to find out if base areas should be irregularly extended or pushed out further from exchanges, which would result in reduced mileage charges. It seems to us that it might be helpful to all interested parties if such a survey was made at certain and definite periods, and we so recommend.

At the hearings it also appeared that some of the land on both sides of the main artery running from the city of Lowell to the center of Tewksbury is swamp land and that it is not practicable or healthful to build residences on this "unprofitable land." This naturally prevents a growth in the number of subscribers in this Tewksbury territory adjacent to the Lowell base rate area and precludes probably a further extension of the irregular base rate territory. The town of Tewksbury is about six miles long and a little less than four miles wide, practically bisected by Main Street. The center of the town, about a mile and a half from the Lowell base rate area, is at the junction of Main, Pleasant, North and East streets, and it appears that a majority of the telephone subscribers in the town of Tewksbury live in the neighborhood of the center of the town. The town center or square is in the sixth band outside the base rate area, as drawn up by the telephone company, and the map shows that the greatest concentration of telephones now paying a mileage charge in the town of Tewksbury exists at the present time in proximity to this section of the town.

A valuation was made by the Department of the property of the company in Tewksbury outside the base rate area in order to establish, if possible, a rate base for the mileage charges in this territory. The company claimed that the services set up for the base rate and mileage rate areas overlapped and that the rates for the base rate and mileage rate areas included a charge for the relative value of the services, among other items. It was also stated that this relative value of the services ran through the entire rate structure of the telephone company. We are not satisfied that any such intangible charge can be

successfully defended by a company in any rate case. In the instant case, however, we have not found it necessary to attempt to establish how much weight should be given to such a charge.

We are of the opinion that, under all the circumstances of this case and having in mind the concentration of telephones in and around the center of the town's square in Tewksbury and also having in mind the elongated shape of the town, it is reasonable to consolidate the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th bands into one band, so that the bands that are now numbered 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 will be numbered 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. This recognition of the concentration of existing telephones in the center of the town of Tewksbury will give a reduction in rates to approximately 45 per cent of the present subscribers of the telephone company now paying mileage charges in the town of Tewksbury.

Accordingly it is

ORDERED, That the territory of the town of Tewksbury now lying within the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th bands of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company for the Lowell exchange be and hereby is consolidated into and included in one band, and that this area, one mile wide, shall be considered the 5th band for the purpose of making mileage charge for the Lowell exchange, and that the territory of the town of Tewksbury now included in the bands numbered 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 be and hereby is included in bands numbered 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, respectively, and said change shall become effective on and after March 15, 1938.

By order of the Department,

Signed,

ALLAN BROOKS,  
Administrative Secretary.

A true copy Attest:

ALLEN BROOKS,  
Administrative Secretary.



Your committee wishes to state that a case of this nature is far more complicated than one might think it would be. We do not feel that the Telephone Rate situation is settled for all time for Tewksbury. We still have the ten cent toll to South Tewksbury. We still have mileage charges on 4, 2 and 1 party service beyond the one mile boundary line. However progress was made and we hope our fellow Towns People profit from the benefits thereof.

In closing up the affairs of this committee we wish to thank the Department of Public Utilities, the The New England Telephone Co. and Citizens that helped develop our case. Without their aid this committee would not have gone far.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. CARTER  
HAROLD F. SMITH



## WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

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Middlesex, ss:

To either of the Constables of the Town of  
Tewksbury in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet and assemble at Town Hall in said Tewksbury, on Wednesday the 1st day of February, 1939 at 12 o'clock noon to act on the following articles:

ART. 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers, to choose by ballot a Moderator, a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, three members of the Board of Health, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, a Tree Warden and Constables, (Three), all to serve one year; one Highway Commissioner to serve three years; one School Committee to serve three years; two Trustees of the Public Library to serve three years; one Park Commissioner to serve three years; one Assessor to serve three years; one Commissioner of Trust Funds to serve three years. The polls for the election of Town Officers to be opened at 12 noon and close at 8 P. M. And to act on the following articles, commencing at 7 P. M.

ART. 2. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

ART. 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation to defray necessary expenses for the current year, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will vote the money arising from licensing dogs, for the ensuing year to aid in support of the Public Library.

ART. 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1939 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 444, General Laws.

VOTED: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1939 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 6. To see what compensation the Town will vote for the collection of taxes, and what rate and from what date interest will be charged on taxes of 1939 unpaid after Nov. 1, 1939 or any other action relative thereto.

ART. 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and appoint a committee to expend the money. Said committee to be taken from members of Spanish War Veterans, American Legion, or Sons of Veterans.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to institute suits on behalf of the Town or defend any suits that are, or may be brought against the Town, and to sign any contracts or agreements in behalf of the Town.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex, as required by law, the Town's share of the net cost of the care, maintenance, and repair of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital, as assessed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the General Laws and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto including Chapter 400, Section 25 G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936 or take any action in relation thereto.

- ART. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.
- ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to petition the land court for a foreclosure of tax titles held by the Town for more than two years, as provided in Section 65 of Chapter 60, and to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate therefor.
- ART. 12. To see what regulations the Town will make for the possession, management and sale of land sold for unpaid taxes and for the assignment of tax titles not inconsistent with law or with the right of redemption as provided in Section 52 of Chapter 60 of the General Laws as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 126 of the Acts of 1927.
- ART. 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Welfare to set aside a part of their appropriation to be used in conjunction with either Federal, State or County funds whenever in their opinion the pledging of such a sum of money will add to the total amount available for Welfare purposes.
- ART. 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for W.P.A. works for 1939, or take any action relative to the same.
- ART. 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 or any other sum for the improvement of North Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.
- ART. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 or any other sum for the improvement of River Road; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the Maintenance of Chapter 90, highways; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$4,500.00. to purchase the property now owned by the Lowell Co-operative Bank. Said property is now rented by the Highway Department for storage of trucks and equipment. Property consists of dwelling, a heated ten stall garage, with repair shop, and approximately one acre of land, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing, and operating road machinery, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be accredited all receipts received for the use of rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Myrtle Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept White Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Laite Road, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on Sunnyslope Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on Highlandview Avenue, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept an extension on School Street, as laid out by the Road Commissioners, with the boundaries and measurements as shown on the plan on file with the Town Clerk.

ART. 27. To see if the Town will pass a by-law to provide periodical audits of the Town's accounts annually under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

VOTED. To adopt the following By-law: There shall be an annual audit of the Town's accounts under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ART. 28. To see if the Town will permit the use of the playing fields in the Tewksbury Stadium free of charge to all athletic teams sponsored by any organization in the town, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 29. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of three hundred (\$300.00), the same to be used for the upkeep of the playing fields in the Tewksbury Stadium, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500.00 for the purchase of hose and other equipment, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the Town will vote that all Motor Vehicles, owned by the Town of Tewksbury, shall be lettered with the name of Department to which the vehicle belongs, or to take any action relative to same.



ART. 32. To see if the Town will vote to choose by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in February, 1939 three Selectmen, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, and three members of the Board of Health, one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year, and each succeeding year to choose by ballot one Selectman, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, and one member of the Board of Health, to serve for the period of three years or to take any action relative to same.

ART. 33. To see if the Town will vote that the Highway Department, cut all brush on the highways of Tewksbury, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 34. To see what sum the town will vote to pay the Town Treasurer as a salary for the year 1939.

ART. 35. To see if the Town will adopt the following by-law:

The annual election of Town Officers shall be held on the first Wednesday in February. Polls shall be open from 12 noon to 8:00 P. M. All other business shall be transacted on the second Wednesday in February, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 36. To see what instructions, if any, the town will give to the school committee for the transportation of high school pupils, and of pupils attending the other public schools, beyond the requirements of section 68 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 97 of the Acts of 1934, and to see what sum the town will appropriate for transportation furnished beyond such requirements.

ART. 37. To see if the town will vote to locate a light on Lee street near the residence of Mr. Ryonne, and appropriate money for same, or take any action thereon.

ART. 38. To see if the town will vote to locate a light at Highland View and Sunny Slope Ave., and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 39. To see if the town will vote to locate a light on Main street, between Fosters' corner and Bischoffs' Store, and appropriate money for same, or take any action relative to same.

ART. 40. To see what sum the Town will raise by taxation the current year to pay the cost of the re-registration of voters provided in the Statute, and to recompense the Board of Registrars for the extra work caused by the new method of assessing polls, or take any other action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, one at each of the Public Meeting Houses, one at the Town Hall, one at each of the Post Offices and leave one hundred copies for the use of the citizens at the Post Office in said town, 8 days at least and over two Sundays, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting as aforesaid :

Given under our hands, this fifteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

IRVING F. FRENCH  
EVERETT H. KING  
HERBERT L. TRULL

{ Selectmen of  
Tewksbury.



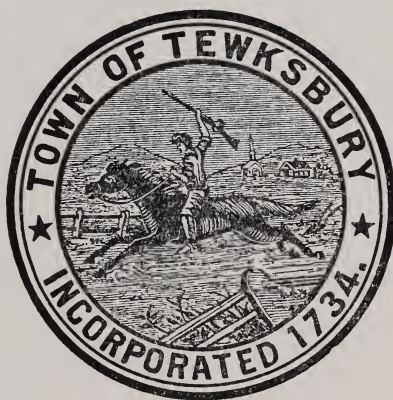
# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN *of* TEWKSBURY



*Also Report of  
Superintendent of Schools*

For the Year Ending Dec. 31,

1938



## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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With more pupils enrolled in our schools than ever before, it has been necessary to engage an extra teacher for the Foster and Shawsheen schools. Classes are now being held in Pickering Hall at the Foster school and in a corridor at the Shawsheen School. If the enrollment continues to increase an addition to our school buildings will have to be made in the very near future.

Transportation has been somewhat of a problem, with the busses filled to capacity and making as many trips as possible, they have not been able to get all the children to school on time. It has been the policy of the committee that no child should have to walk more than one mile. With the increase in the number of children the one mile limit will have to be extended or another bus added.

During the summer the well at the High School was driven to a depth of one hundred fifty feet, we now have an adequate supply of excellent water.

The floor of the High School hall has been relaid and bleachers capable of seating two hundred have been installed, these bleachers can be removed for out of door sports.

Painting has been done and repairs made in all schools and the buildings are in good condition.

Respectfully submitted,

MAY L. LARRABEE, Chairman,  
J. HARPER GALE  
AUSTIN F. FRENCH, Secretary.

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The School committee recommend the sum of \$57,530.00 be appropriated for the schools for 1939 based upon the following budget:

### Elementary Schools

Superintendent .....	\$	877.00
Supervisors .....		1,020.00

Teachers .....	17,500.00	
Janitors .....	3,060.00	
Transportation .....	4,200.00	
Fuel .....	1,400.00	
Books & Supplies .....	1,400.00	
Health .....	1,500.00	
Insurance .....	143.00	
District .....	150.00	
Miscellaneous .....	500.00	
Repairs .....	1,000.00	
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		\$ 32,750.00

#### High School

Teachers .....	\$ 14,250.00	
Janitor ... ..	1,300.00	
Transportation .....	2,900.00	
Fuel .....	700.00	
Supervisors .....	720.00	
Books & Supplies .....	1,550.00	
Miscellaneous .....	2,000.00	
Equipment & Repairs .....	1,000.00	
Insurance .....	360.00	
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		\$ 24,780.00
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		\$ 57,530.00

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Committee,  
Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

Madam and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to present this, my ninth, Annual Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

It has been suggested that I confine my report to about half of the space usually devoted to this matter in the volume entitled Annual Town Report. I take it that this is for reason of economy and shall act accordingly, in so far as my personal share of the material is concerned. I have not limited my associates in their presentation of the work of their departments of the school system. I direct your attention to these as worthy of consideration as evidence of the returns you are receiving for that part of your tax dollar which goes for education.

If space were available I had intended to break down the figures in our school expenditures and show what is devoted to various parts of the school system. From these figures some interesting comparisons could be shown. This would require too many pages of the report at a good price per page and would probably not justify the expenses.

In general I am glad to be able to state that the schools are in the best working condition that I have seen them for several years. There is a better spirit of harmony in all of the teaching staffs than has sometimes been the case, and the general average of the quality of teaching done has been raised during the year.

I believe one of the greatest improvements during the year has been in the quantity and quality of the work done in connection with school health and hygiene. This work has been systematized and carried thru most efficiently. Excellent work has been done in a more widespread addition of something hot to the cold lunches brought by the majority of the school children. Reference to the report of the school nurse will show the numerous valuable clinical advantages which have been given a wider application than we usually have secured. The report of the School Physician gives further evidence of the growth in this department.

This current school year we have for the first time given serious attention to music in the High School. In previous years music was given incidental attention in such time as could be squeezed from the schedule of an already overworked music supervisor. In September Miss Angelica Carabello was employed to give a full day each week to vocal and instrumental music in the High School. The results of her work may not show fully this year. It takes a little time to produce glee clubs and choruses which function smoothly. Until more people enter high school who have had some training in instrumental music it will be difficult to produce an orchestra or band of any size. I predict however that before June 1939 we shall see some promising results from Miss Carabello's work.

Another innovation during the year was the addition of field hockey to the program of physical education or sports for the High School girls. This is a fast competitive game played out of doors, and it is one of the finest forms of exercises and team play for girls. This game is growing in popularity. It is one of the standard major sports for girls in the large public and private schools of the country. It has the merit of being a game not too expensive for the smaller schools to support. Miss Moran, a newcomer to the faculty has been coaching the teams with excellent results both from the competitive angle and that of pupil interest and participation.

Great credit is due all of the coaches of various athletic teams for the excellent records made by their charges and for the good, clean sportsmanship shown by the teams. The record of victories has been so good that I feel that it is well for us to remember that every school has its lean years and that the public must not expect an unending series of victorious seasons. It is equally important for all to recognize that the athletic program is but an incidental part in the whole high school program. Care must be exercised that the athletic tail shall not wag the educational dog. We must ever keep in mind that sports are carried on for the benefit of the pupils rather than to provide a Roman holiday for the populace or to serve as an advertising medium for the town.

No consideration of the program of physical education would be complete with a tribute to the untiring zeal and energy of those who directed the construction of the new athletic field. It is a superior piece of work both in conception and execution. It is superior to the facilities to be found at many of the small colleges. This and the new bleachers in the gymnasium gives the school enviable facilities for this element of the school activities. I hope that the young people will show appreciation of such unusual blessings by giving due care not to abuse them.

## TEACHING CORPS CHANGES

Matrimony has made serious inroads into our teaching personnel during the year. Miss Mary Watson of the Foster School and Miss Catherine Sullivan of the Shawsheen School completed their careers as teachers in June. In November Miss Shaw of the Shawsheen School staff followed their example. Mrs. Winifred Colbath succeeded Miss Watson as teacher of the third grade in the Foster School, Miss Elizabeth Hill of Lawrence followed Miss Sullivan as principal of the Shawsheen and Mrs. Ruth Lyons, a former teacher in the Foster School took up Miss Shaw's work in Shawsheen. All of these are teachers with records of successful experience.

Overcrowding of classes made necessary the addition of two assistants to the staff. Miss Mary Katherine of Tewksbury took over a class made up from the overflow of the third and fourth grades in Foster School. Late in the fall it was found necessary to give Miss Reynolds of the Shawsheen School some assistance with her excessively large class of first and second graders. Miss Mary Carboine, a recent Lowell Teachers College graduate was placed in this position.

The one other change in the elementary school came as a result of the resignation of Miss Elizabeth Hoar from the seventh grade in Foster School. Her successor is Miss Dorothy Ward an experienced teacher who came to us from a successful career in Connecticut. Miss Ward is a Massachusetts girl.

In the High School two vacancies were created by the advancement of Mr. Donald Dunnan and Miss Agnes Phillips to large fields. Mr. Dunnan was elected to the combined offices of Principal of High School and Superintendent of Schools for the town of Burlington with the task of organizing and supervising the building of a new high school added for good measure. Miss Phillips was elected to a position in the Commercial Department of the Framingham High School.

As a result of Mr. Dunnan's resignation Mr. Donald McSheehy was transferred from his position as instructor in manual arts to teacher of science. Into the position left vacant Mr. Roland Bourdon, a Fitchburg trained man, was inducted. Mr. Bourdon has had several years of experience in his field. Miss Phyllis Moran was elected to succeed Miss Phillips in the commercial department.

Mr. Lawrence McGowan was promoted to head coach of football and baseball succeeding Mr. Dunnan. His first season in this position was eminently successful. His good sportsmanship during the football season deserves commendation.

The resignation of Miss Marion Adams brought to us Mrs. Leahy for a short time as Supervisor of Music. Mrs. Leahy was elected to a



full time position in her home town and was followed in September by Mrs. Alice Sturtevant who took over the work in the elementary grades. As stated above, a special teacher of music was added to the High School staff in the person of Miss Carabello who was elected because of the superior type of results she had secured in the neighboring town of Wilmington.

## INCREASED ENROLLMENT

A comparison of the enrollment figures for October first of the current year with those of the year before shows an increase of 58 pupils in the elementary grades. Fortunately the increase was spread around in various grades so that no insurmountable difficulty was experienced. There is some crowding however, and there are many classes too large for securing the best work. The graduation of the present eighth grade will relieve the pressure somewhat in the elementary schools only to transfer it to the high school which is at present filled in excess of its rated capacity. The school where the greatest increase and worst crowding occurs is the Shawsheen at South Tewksbury. In this building there was an increase of 31 pupils over last year's enrollment. There were 188 pupils in this building of five classrooms. One of these rooms has a maximum seating capacity of 25 pupils. It is evident that the other four rooms averaged more than forty pupils each. If there were but one grade in these rooms the condition would not be so bad, but three of them are rooms of two grades. At the present time there are 48 pupils in grades one and two and the same number in grades six and seven. A further complication of the problem in this section is that increase or decrease in numbers is unpredictable. During any year there are variations of from 10 to 20 pupils in the total enrollment. It is never possible to plan during the summer for any room in the building. If the present tendency continues it may not be long before it will be necessary either to build additional rooms on the Shawsheen School, or to remove the eighth grade to the Foster School, or some other building.

Conditions are threatening in the Foster School. During the past summer it was found necessary to do a considerable amount of moving of furniture in order that some of the larger classes might be seated. It was also necessary because classrooms would not accomodate the numbers assigned to them to create an overflow class from the third and fourth grades which has been seated in one end of Pickering Hall. This necessitated the employment of another teacher. This same condition will probably continue for several years. It is evident that any marked increase in enrollment will call for additional rooms in the Foster School or elsewhere.

From the evidence given above it would seem advisable that an investigation be made as to the best solution of the problem. It is my opinion that if additions to our school plant become necessary, the place for such addition would be to the High School. By creating a six year high school administrative unit, all housed under one roof, it would be possible to remove the seventh and eighth grades from the overcrowded schools and allow for any expansion in the six elementary grades.

### CONCLUSION

To the School Committee and to all of my associates who have worked so faithfully to make this a highly beneficial year for the school children of Tewksbury, I extend sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN

Wilmington, Massachusetts  
January 12, 1939.

Supt. of Schools.

## REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER TEWKSBURY HIGH SCHOOL

January 1939

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Tewksbury High School began its fourth year in September, 1938, and during the first term had a record enrollment of 240 students. This represents an increase of 5 over the registration for September 1937, and an increase of 26 over the figures for September 1936. The 240 students who have registered so far this year are divided by classes as follows:

Freshmen .....	75
Sophomores .....	57
Juniors .....	61
Seniors .....	40
Post Graduates .....	7
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Total Registration .....	240

The division of students according to the courses for which they registered was as follows:

Commercial. ....	92	Nurse's Training .....	11
College .....	44	Teachers College .....	8
General .....	42	Home Economics .....	4
Manual Training .....	32	Post Graduates .....	7

The above figures show that nearly one-half of the students in the school are preparing for business careers, while about one-quarter of them are planning to enter higher institutions after completing their high school work. Each year there is an increase in the number registered in the Nurse's Training course, a fact due no doubt to the proximity of the State Infirmary.

During the summer of 1938 it was necessary to fill vacancies caused by the resignation of Mr. Donald Dunnan and Miss Agnes Phillips. Mr. McGowan took over Mr. Dunnan's position as Football Coach, and Mr. McSheehy succeeded him as teacher of the Sciences. To replace Mr. McSheehy who had been the Industrial Arts teacher, Mr. Roland Bourdon, a graduate of Fitchburg Teacher's College, was engaged. Mr.

Bourdon has had several years experience in the teaching of Industrial Arts and came to Tewksbury from the Rutland, Vermont, High School.

Miss Phyllis Moran, a graduate of the University of New Hampshire, and an experienced teacher of the Commercial subjects, was engaged to take the place of Miss Phillips. In addition to teaching Shorthand and Typewriting, Miss Moran teaches Freshman English and is coach of the girl's Field Hockey Team.

Miss Angelica Carabello was engaged as Music Supervisor to succeed Miss Leahy who resigned in June. The new Music Supervisor made a remarkably fine record in the Wilmington school system last year, and in a few months has already infused a new spirit into the Tewksbury High School glee clubs.

In June, 1938 the High School held its second Annual Commencement exercises, and forty-two young graduates attired in the traditional caps and gowns were awarded their diplomas. A complete list of the 1938 graduates follows:

Frank Bargardo	Frances French	Rita Manning
Ruth Bean	Walter Fuller	Helen Mullin
Thomas Berube	Wilmer Garlick	John O'Neill
Jeanette Blouin	Chester Heald	Agnes Otto ,
William Blue	Paul Houlihan	Natalie Patten
Laura Bonugli	Alexander Ivas	Connie Perivolotis
Blanche Boumel	Florence Jones	Jean Pike
Marion Bruneau	Joseph Kane	Eleanor Prescott
Betty Byron	Margaret Kane	Marion Rogers
Walter Cogan	Leonard Keough	Irene Roper
Mary Cooney	Rosella Lipomi	Norma Snay
Rita Cote	Thomas MacKenzie	Sophie Szurley
Eugenia Farwell	Loretta MacLellan	Ruth Travels
Leonard Foy	Rosamond Mann	Jeny Wojtkiewicz

## SPECIAL HONORS

Valedictory, Rita Cote

Salutatory, Thomas Berube

The May L. Larrabee Scholarship Awards  
RITA COTE, THOMAS BERUBE

The Melvin Rogers Baseball Award  
WALTER FULLER

The Melvin Rogers Football Award  
JOSEPH KANE

The Sons of the American Revolution History Medal  
RITA SULLIVAN

The Balfour Award for Loyalty, Scholarship, and Achievement  
JOSEPH KANE

Faculty Award to Outstanding Girl Athlete  
IRENE ROPER

The Constitutional Sesquicentennial Medal  
RITA SULLIVAN

The Parent-Teacher's Association Citizenship Award  
NATALIE PATTEN

### JUNIOR USHERS

Arlene Olson, Virginia Scammell, Gerald Keough, Allan MacLellan  
Class President, Joseph Kane                      Class Marshall, William Blue

Mr. Nathan Hamblin, Headmaster of Punchard High School in Andover, was the Guest Speaker, and Mr. Austin French, Secretary of the School Board presented the diplomas.

The development of scholarship is the first aim of any school, and it has been a source of satisfaction to the Headmaster and Faculty to have each year show an improvement in the class work of the student body. As a constant incentive toward this end the school requires that a student secure 80 credit points to earn a diploma, and maintains 70% as a passing grade in all subjects. In addition, no student is eligible for participation in school athletics unless he or she is passing three of the four subjects required. To insure adequate review work, Mid-Year and Final Examinations are conducted and the student's record on these term examinations has an important bearing on final grades.

Every six weeks at the end of the regular marking period an Honor Roll is compiled including all those whose marks have averaged over 80%. There is also a Special High Honors list for students who have averaged over 90%. Space will not permit the listing of the entire Honor Roll for the past school year, but worthy of special mention are the following students who were consistent members of the High Honors group:

Rita Cote  
Meyer Abrams  
Irene Cote  
Martin Haas

Frank Simonitz  
Rita Sullivan  
Natalie Patten  
Dorothy Ballas  
Irene Roper

Mary Lisay  
Wilmer Garlick  
Agnes Otto  
Francis Emmons



In June of 1938 Tewksbury High School was awarded for the third year the Class A certificate issued by the State Department of Education.

Miss Betty Trickey joined the Faculty in September as a cadet teacher and her services which were volunteered have been of great value to the school.

In a review of the period since the last report special mention should be made of some of the outstanding events and achievements in the varied phases of school activity.

Under the auspices of the Lowell Council of the Parent-Teachers Association the school's Business Law class presented a program called, "Ignorance of the Law is no Excuse" over WLLH in October. This program consisted of a typical class discussion and was the first of its type to be broadcast by any school in this vicinity.

This year a special schedule was inaugurated for Mondays which will allow every student to avail himself of the opportunities offered by the Art and Music courses.

The school paper, the Hi-Lights, is being published regularly under the direction of Miss Maguire, and unlike most small school literary enterprises continues to keep its assets more than its debts.

The Senior Play for 1938 "Gold in the Hills" was produced under the guidance of Miss Phillips and provided a fine evening's entertainment for a capacity audience. Work in dramatics for the present school year is being carried on by Mr. Bourdon.

Assembly programs were held at frequent intervals during the year and provided varied forms of entertainment and instruction. In keeping with the current trend toward more visual education, the school subscribed to the "Chronicles of America" a series of historical films produced and distributed by the Yale University Press, and these were of great value as a supplement to the regular text-books of the history classes.

With the cooperation of the State Department of Physical Education and Miss Edith Haines, R. N., the School Nurse, an elaborate series of Physical Fitness tests were given to Tewksbury High School students. The addition of Miss Haines to the high school faculty has been of great value in the promotion of health practices among the students.

Under the direction of the Home economics teacher, Miss Dutton, the Boys Cooking Class is continuing for the fourth year, and is one of the most successful extra-curricular activities. The Behave Yourself class in manners and social customs which was begun in 1936 is another popular extra-curricular activity.

The boys in the Manual Training department under the direction of Mr. Bourdon have built a new tool-room and many new benches for their work-shop, besides a number of articles for use in other parts of the school. As in other years Mr. Wiley has found time to do much valuable carpentry work in addition to his many other janitorial duties.

On Columbus Day a huge crowd gathered for the Dedication of the Tewksbury High School stadium, and no one could fail to be impressed by the athletic plant which is markedly superior to that of any school in this vicinity. The entire project embraces a stadium with a capacity of nine hundred, baseball and football playing fields, baseball bleachers and dug-outs, and a completely equipped field house.

The physical equipment of the high school building has been augmented during the past year by the addition of portable bleachers which will seat two hundred in the auditorium, a bookkeeping machine, and a vacuum cleaning apparatus.

The sports high-light of the school year 1937-38 was the winning of the Suburban Championship by the Tewksbury High School Basketball team. Coach Frank Maria, assisted by Charlie Hazel, developed in his first year as director of the team, a strong combination which set a new standard of play in the Suburban League and brought to the school its first basketball championship. Two of the Tewksbury boys, Llewellyn Webster and Joe Kane, were honored by being selected for the All-Suburban team. The outlook for the 1939 basketball season is promising with both teams having an excellent chance to win League honors. The boy's team seems well qualified to defend its 1938 title, and the girl's team coached by Miss Chandler and Miss Scoboria is expected to be among the League leaders.

Coach Lawrence McGowan and his assistant Charlie Hazel were successful in guiding Tewksbury's 1938 Football team to its first Suburban Football Championship. In recognition of the fine work of this team, five of its members were named to the honorary All-Suburban Football eleven. The boys who were selected for this honor were Captain Kenneth Fitzgerald, George Bowden, Gerald Keough, Philip Burgess, and Allan MacLellan.

Under the direction of Coach Phyllis Moran, Tewksbury formed its first Field Hockey team, and with the resumption of outdoor sports in the spring a regular schedule of interscholastic games will be played.

Tewksbury High students are fortunate in having their own tennis courts and many have availed themselves of the opportunity to learn the game under the direction of Mr. McSheehy. The second Annual Tennis Tournament was contested in late October with the Boy's Championship going to Llewellyn Webster and the Girl's Championship to Virginia Scammell.



Special mention should be made of the great debt which the school owes to Charlie Hazel who ever since the opening day in 1935 has volunteered his services as an assistant coach and has been an important factor in the success of the school's teams.

In closing I wish to thank the members of the School Committee, Superintendent Stephen Bean, the members of the High School Faculty and the entire student body for the complete cooperation which they have given me in directing the destiny of the school during the past three and a half years. In addition to that the complete and unqualified support of the citizens of the town has been not only a vital factor in the school's success but an incentive and compensation for those of us connected with the school. Such success as the High School has had is clearly the result of concerted effort toward the same goal, and there is no reason why we cannot keep Tewksbury High School a leader in all phases of school activity.

Respectfully submitted,

WHITMAN PEARSON

Headmaster.

# ENROLLMENT DATA FOR 1938

**TABLE I**  
**Age and Grade Distribution**  
 October 31, 1938

	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	T
I	26	31	6	2		1												66
II		20	39	6	1		1											67
III			22	31	14	2		1										70
IV				17	31	16	8	2	1	2								77
V					19	30	12	3	5		2	1						72
VI						8	31	10	10	3	1							63
VII							17	35	12	3			1					68
VIII						1		17	45	14	6	5						88
T	26	51	67	56	65	58	69	68	73	22	9	6	1					571
IX								1	13	23	16	11	4					68
X										16	28	9	1	1				55
XI										4	16	23	14	1	1			59
XII											2	9	18	7	1	1	2	40
P. G													2	2	1			5
T								1	13	43	62	52	39	11	3	1	2	227
GT	26	51	67	56	65	58	69	69	86	65	71	58	40	11	3	1	2	798

**TABLE II**  
**Teacher-Grade Distribution**  
 October 31, 1938

GRADE	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	P. G.	T
ROLLO	41													41
CUNNINGHAM		40												40
COLBATH			37											37
KATHERINA			9	9										18
BLAKE				38										38
PIPER					42									42
FLYNN						33								33
WARD							38							38
HOWARD								42						42
TOTAL														329
REYNOLDS	23	22												45
LYONS			18	24										42
LAMBERT					22									22
HILL						22	25							47
RINGER								32						32
TOTAL														188
LYNESS	2	5	6	6										19
HERSEY					8	8	5	14						35
TOTAL														57
PEARSON									68	55	59	40	5	227
G. TOTAL	66	67	70	77	72	63	68	88	68	55	59	40	5	798

## REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

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Mr. Stephen G. Bean  
Superintendent of Schools  
Tewksbury High School

January 10, 1939

My dear Mr. Bean:

I have the honor to submit my first annual report as Supervisor of Music in the Tewksbury High School.

In September 1938, three musical clubs were organized in the high school. First, a Freshman and Sophomore Girls' Glee Club with approximately forty girls; secondly a Junior-Senior Girls' Glee Club with approximately forty girls; thirdly a Boys' Glee Club with approximately fifty members. One half hour rehearsal is given to each of the Girls' Glee Clubs a week. The Boys' Glee Club has an hour rehearsal period a week. The allotted school time is not sufficient to include the instruction of instrumental music. The morning is spent with students in their study periods, preparing them for the afternoon rehearsal when all of the students are together.

In the Spring, there will be a High School Concert. At this musicale there will be a violin soloist

It is my earnest hope that these musical organizations will be sufficiently qualified to enter the Massachusetts State Festival in the Spring.

I believe that a joint concert with the Wilmington Musical Clubs will not only stimulate musical interest, but will further good will and understanding between the two schools.

I should like to express my sincere thanks to you and also Mr. Pearson for your interest and cooperation in my work.

On behalf of the Music department, sincere thanks are in order for the spirited school song that you have written for the Tewksbury High School.

Respectfully submitted,

ANGELICA CARABELLO

Music Supervisor.

**REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR**  
For Elementary Schools

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To the Superintendent  
and School Committee,  
Tewksbury, Mass.

January 8, 1939.

As a beginner for the work of music supervisor in the Grade Schools the first step was to get acquainted with existing conditions, and then to build assignments and activities that would meet the need.

A lack in simple rudimental information was very evident. This is where we have been making the greatest effort. A technical sheet of aims and goals has been given to each teacher for her particular grade by which she may recognize and check the definite requirements for her grade.

We are, rarely, genuinely interested, and take little pleasure in that concerning which we have slight knowledge. Stress has been placed upon the idea of 'interest created through understanding', i. e. the child is interested in, and responds to, that which he understands and in which he knows how to express himself. This, therefore, has been the chief aim for all of us as teachers: to stimulate an interest in and love for music through understanding, and to dignify the place of music in the curriculum in the mind of the child by proving to him its importance and worth as something more than mere play.

Use has been made of the toy orchestra for rhythm study in one school and plans are under way for its use in the other schools.

A Choral Club for girls and one for boys is in process of formation in each school.

New books were provided in the lower grades at the North School.

A regrading will be attempted in the coming semester.

As time goes on other interests and activities will be developed.

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to the teachers for their fine spirit of cooperation and to Mr. Bean for his helpful interest and supervision.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE L. STURTEVANT.

## REPORT OF ART SUPERVISOR

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To the Superintendent and School Board of Tewksbury:

Although each year brings in new variations and applications, the fundamentals that make up the back bone of the art curriculum in the public schools are the same.

Each grade learns a set of skills. Strength in these skills is gained by applications made possible thru representation, design and color.

Problems in 1938 were of varying duration depending upon the age of the class and the interest shown.

The Drawing Exhibition last June provided an eight weeks problem in each of the grades.

At the Shawsheen School grades I & II illustrated scenes in Holland. Grades III & IV pictured courtesy. Grade V produced many interesting decorations applied to discarded containers. Grade VI depicted flags, landscapes and costumes of many lands. Grades VII and VIII worked diligently on pictures of safety rules and habits.

The Ella E. Flemings School spent their eight weeks busily preparing for exhibition. The first four grades worked on crafts. They made many different objects. Some were woven, others painted, carved, sewed and modeled. The upper four grades constructed separate miniature rooms and built furniture for them. They added upholstering and furnishings to produce an eight room modern home.

Each of the grades at the Foster School exhibited as follows: Grade I by drawing objects, flowers, birds etc. demonstrating addition and subtraction. Grade II pictured a day with two children "Peter and Peggy." Grade III illustrated the story of Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. Grade IV used various sized cut circles of colored paper and made design patterns on different surfaces. Grade V chose the story of holidays. Grade VI represented the story of design in borders, squares, circles and triangles. Grade VII pictured oriental costumes and places. Grade VIII illustrated transportation from early days to the present streamline modes.

The High School worked on problems for personal achievement in various mediums including pencil, charcoal, pastel, crayon and paint.

In closing I wish to express my appreciation to all for their interest in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

VITTORIA ROSATTO

Supervisor of Drawing.

January 12, 1939.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

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To the School Committee of the Town of Tewksbury:

As your School Physician may I report that the health in the schools has been unusually good the past year. Very few contagious cases have occurred to interfere with attendance. Our well protected play grounds give chance for healthy exercise during recess periods and before and after school. One of our recent moves has been to immunize our children from Diptheria. This past year we were very much pleased to have so many pre-school children presented. This coming spring another clinic is to be held and we invite you to bring your children between the ages of 1 and 8 years. Our clinic is most carefully arranged and supervised by our school nurse and every attention is given to aseptic preparation, inoculation and after care.

HERBERT M. LARRABEE, M. D.

School Physician.



## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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January, 1939

Mr. Stephen G. Bean  
Superintendent of Schools  
Tewksbury, Massachusetts

I herewith submit my second report as school nurse. I feel the year has been one of advancement and progress in health work in the schools. Through the splendid cooperation of the School Board, Board of Health, welfare agencies, teachers, parents and friends of the children, much has been accomplished for the school child.

Following is a brief summary of work done:

**Dental Clinic:** 200 children have been treated at clinic with a total of 375 visits, which included 75 cleanings, 112 extractions nearly half being permanent teeth and 200 fillings. Through this very important clinic the "Childfear" of a dentist is fast being overcome, thus assuring better care of teeth in the future.

**Toxin:** Anti Toxin clinic for the prevention of Diphtheria. Number of children inoculated 163, of this number 73 were of pre-school age which has been and still is a much neglected age.

**Tuberculosis Clinic** for high school pupils: Number tested 169—69 or 32% showing a positive reaction to test. All these were X-Rayed. Of this particular group 12 will have an annual X-Ray and examination.

The audiometer test revealed 27 pupils with defective hearing of either one or both ears impaired.

**The eye test** showed 48 with defective eyesight.

There were 75 who needed tonsils removed. There have been 80 corrections made thus far. All these corrections have entailed a great deal of home visiting, hospital clinic arranging, and hospital appointments and financing. There is still much to be done.

During the month of December 4,500 cups of cocoa were served in the three elementary schools.

The Christmas Seal Sale has been very gratifying again this year with a slight increase over the last one. Money from this sale has been used in helping to finance the cocoa, summer camp for undernourished children, educational and corrective work.

May I take this opportunity to thank each and everyone who has helped make this past year such a happy and successful one.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. HAINES, R. N.

School Nurse.

# ROSTER OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

Class	Name	School or Dept.	Address
Prin.	Whitman Pearson	High	Tewksbury
Teachers	Laurence McGowan	High	Tewksbury
	Donald McSheehy	High	Tewksbury
	Francis Maria	High	Lowell
	Roland Bourdon	High	Tewksbury
	Catherine Maguire	High	Lowell
	Marjorie Scoboria	High	Chelmsford
	Kathryn Chandler	High	Tewksbury
	Evelyn Dutton	High	Dracut
	Phyllis Moran	High	Tewksbury
Prin.	Ethelyn Howard	Foster VIII	Tewksbury
Teachers	Dorothy Ward	Foster VII	Tewksbury
	Elizabeth Flynn	Foster VI	Chelmsford
	Marion Piper	Foster V	Lowell
	Doris Blake	Foster IV	Wamesit
	Winifred Colbath	Foster III	Tewksbury
	Mary Katherina	Foster III & IV	Tewksbury
	Virginia Cunningham	Foster II	Lowell
	Mildred Rollo	Foster I	Lowell
Prin.	Elizabeth Hill	Shawsheen VI & VII	So. Tewks.
	Alberta Ringer	Shawsheen VIII	Lowell
	Hazel Lambert	Shawsheen V	Lowell
	Ruth Lyons	Shawsheen III & IV	Lowell
	Elizabeth Reynolds	Shawsheen I & II	Lowell
	Mary Carboine	Assistant	Medford
Prin.	Eva L. Hersey	North V-VIII	N. Tewksbury
Teachers	Bernice Lyness	North I-IV	Lowell
Superv.	Vittorio Rosatto	Art All Schools	Lowell
	Angelica Carabello	Music High	Reading
	Alice Sturtevant	Music Elementary	Tewksbury
Health	Herbert M. Larrabee	Physician	Tewksbury
	Edith Haines	Nurse	Tewksbury
Janitors	Harry Wiley	High	Tewksbury
	Walter Lavelle	Foster	Tewksbury
	Robert Stavely	Shawsheen	Tewksbury
	Irving Bailey	North	N. Tewksbury
Trans.	Anthony Furtado, Jr.		Tewksbury
	Omer Blanchard		N Tewksbury
Supt.	Stephen G. Bean		Wilmington

## SCHOOL CENSUS

	5 yrs.-7 yrs.	7 yrs.-14 yrs.	14 yrs.-16 yrs.	16 yrs.-21 yrs.	Total
BOYS .....	94	247	90	138	569
GIRLS .....	98	244	80	126	548
TOTAL .....	192	591	170	264	1117

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## SCHOOL CALENDAR 1939

January 3 to February 24

Mid-Winter Vacation

March 6 to April 28

Spring Vacation

May 8 to June 16—Elem.

May 8 to June 23—High

Summer Vacation

September 6 to December 22

Christmas Vacation

## TEWKSBURY STADIUM DEDICATION

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To the Tewksbury School Committee:

In accordance with your request to organize a Committee to arrange for the proper dedication of the Tewksbury Stadium, the following were selected: Mrs. May L. Larrabee, Whitman Pearson, Hon. Melvin G. Rogers, Everett H. King, Louis O. Berube, Cyril L. Barker and John R. Smith, Jr.

The date selected,—October 12, Columbus Day, with the football team of the Dracut High School as the opponents of the Tewksbury High School.

A splendid program was arranged with a Band Concert, Public Speaking and Flag Raising, followed by the Dedication Game which was won by our High School Team with the score of 32 to 0.

A souvenir program containing information relative to the construction of the Stadium, the exercises and many photographs as well as interesting items of public interest, was provided.

Special mention should be given to the Lowell High School Band, John J. Giblin, Director, to the St. Rita's Cadets and Rev. Dennis J. Maguire, for contributing the services of these organizations to the Town of Tewksbury. The stirring music and marching of these groups with their colorful uniforms, made the dedication a splendid success. The committee wish to express their sincere thanks to all who assisted in any way in making possible this Dedication.

The following is the report of the receipts and expenditures:

### GATE RECEIPTS

165	T. H. S. Student Tickets @ .35 .....	\$	57.75
144	Grammar School Tickets @ .25 .....		36.00
143	Dracut Student Tickets @ .35 .....		50.05
165	Dracut Adult Tickets @ .50 .....		82.50
600	Reserve and Gate Tickets @ .50 .....		300.00
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1217	Paid Attendance .....	\$	526.30

## EXPENDITURES

George Gaudette, Moving Bleachers .....	\$	100.00	
Balfe Service Co., Posters and Tickets .....		28.50	
Clarence Morton, R. C. A. Equipment .....		35.00	
Eastern Mass. Railway Co. (4 Buses) .....		32.00	
Star Sound Service, Advertising .....		15.00	
Football Officials (3) .....		21.00	
Ticket Attendants (2) .....		6.00	
T. Berube and Wm. Thompson, Advertising .....		7.80	
Lowell Sun, Advertising .....		2.00	
Courier-Citizen-Evening Leader, Advertising ....		8.58	
		<hr/>	\$ 255.88

## Percentage Agreement

70% to the Tewksbury High School .....	\$	189.29	
30% to the Dracut High School .....		81.13	
		<hr/>	\$ 270.42

129 Guests of the Town of Tewksbury (town, city and school officials.)  
 15 Ushers.  
 7 Press.  
 30 Members, Hector Jackson Post 259 A. L.  
 50 T. H. S. Students (labor on bleachers, cleaning field, etc.)  
 101 Members L. H. S. Band and Girl Twirlers  
 110 St. Rita's Cadets and Attendants.

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442 Guests.  
 1217 Paid Attendance.

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1659 Total Attendance.

## PROGRAM ACCOUNT

### RECEIPTS

Advertising .....	\$	408.00	
Contribution .....		10.00	
Sale of Program .....		47.55	
		<hr/>	\$ 465.55

## EXPENDITURES

Balfe Service Co., Printing .....	\$	220.00
Marion Studio, Cuts .....		28.00

Evening Leader, Cut .....	1.00		
H. J. Patten, Misc. Expenses .....	6.45		
		<hr/>	
		\$	255.45
Receipts .....		\$	465.55
Expenditures .....			255.45
		<hr/>	
Profit .....		\$	210.10
70% Gate Receipts .....			189.29
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Total .....		\$	399.39
* Football Tickets .....			33.00
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Paid to Headmaster Whitman Pearson for the			
T. H. S. A. A. ....		\$	366.39

\* The T. H. S. Football Squad were provided tickets for the annual Andover-Exeter Academy Football Game. Here they had the opportunity to see two former Tewksbury High School Captains playing on the opposing teams, John (Butch) Seekins and Joseph (Killer) Kane. Both played outstanding games. At the close of the football season, Joe Kane was selected as the outstanding back at Exeter and was presented a trophy and his name engraved on the beautiful cup which is retained permanently among the trophies at Exeter Academy.

Tewksbury Citizens may well feel proud of their High School and the former students who are "Carrying On" in other schools and colleges, not only for their athletic achievements, but as successful students intent on securing a better education.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD J. PATTEN,  
Chairman.





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